

WEATHER FORECAST
 For 24 hours ending 5 p.m., Wednesday:
 Victoria and vicinity—Increasingly
 easterly and southerly winds, unsettled
 and cool, with occasional rain.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT
 Capitol—Revelation.
 Dominion—Feet of Clay.
 Playhouse—Happiness.
 Columbia—The Storm Drifter.

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\$400,000 DAMAGE IN BELLINGHAM FIRES

BAYONET CLASHES BETWEEN CHINESE TROOPS FIGHTING IN FRONT OF SHANGHAI

Machine Gun Fire With Heavy Losses Finally Forces Retreat of Attacking Kiangsu Men

Shanghai, Sept. 30.—The fourth day of continuous fighting between rival Chinese armies near Shanghai was completed to-night with no evidences that early termination of the battle could be expected.

The battle started Saturday with opening of an offensive by the Chekiang-Shanghai forces against the besieging Kiangsu province armies.

At 9.30 o'clock to-night the muffled roar from the war front some score of miles distant told Shanghai that the entrenched fighters still found strength to continue their conflict.

BURNABY FIRES FRANK BROWNE, MEMBER-ELECT

Refuse Leave of Absence to Enable Him to Attend Duties in Legislature

Order Treasurer to Advise For New Municipal Accountant

Edmonds, B.C., Sept. 30.—Standing pat on its previous decision to refuse leave of absence to the municipal accountant, Frank Browne, M.P.P., to enable him to attend to his duties in the Legislature at the coming session, the Burnaby Municipal Council last night virtually decided to dispense with Mr. Browne's services by ordering Municipal Treasurer R. Bolton to call for applications for his position.

NOT KEPT OPEN

As there was no hint that the applicants were to be advised that the services of the appointee would be required only temporarily, it is assumed that the council does not propose to keep the post open for the labor member.

The first step taken by the council was to order a letter from Mr. Browne filed, no comment being made.

In his communication Mr. Browne stated that he proposed to attend the House at Victoria October 27 and added:

"I shall be pleased to do all in my power to assist my substitute in taking over the duties as soon as selected by the council."

"I repeat my desire to work in harmony with the council for the best interests of Burnaby."

PROTESTS

Communications protesting against the "unwarranted" action of the council in refusing the member-elect leave of absence were sent by the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees and the Vancouver Civic Employees' Union.

These also were ordered filed.

At this stage a resolution was passed again refusing Mr. Browne leave of absence.

Holding on its course, the council then gave the instructions specified above to the municipal treasurer.

VETERAN BODIES ENDORSE EFFORT

Soldiers Approve Project to Mark Memory of Heroic Deed

Two letters which have been received at the office of Victoria War Memorial committee have greatly encouraged members in their appeal for funds.

One is from the Canadian Legion, which endorses not only the appeal, but the location and method of collecting money, and the other from the Armistice Day Committee. As the latter is the most representative returned soldier body in Victoria the letter has strengthened the hand of the committee in its appeal.

There will be a committee meeting on Thursday, to prosecute the campaign, which is not making as rapid headway as had been expected.

Arrangements have been made with the city schools to distribute collecting boxes in the various schools for the fund.

Additional subscriptions are as follows: H. E. and E. J. Dann, E. C. Hayward, T. W. Hawkins, Kuntuku Club, E. and H. Crocker, a friend, O. T. Goldsmith, J. A. Beedham, H. I. Malick, T. Obce, a friend, and Major W. Gerrard.

OIL COMPANY HEAD BELIEVED SUICIDE

M. Rogers, One of Wealthiest Men in Lethbridge, Found Dead From Gun Wound

Lethbridge, Sept. 30.—Mark Rogers, head of the Canadian Oil and Refining Company of Lethbridge, is dead and evidence points to suicide from a shooting at 2 o'clock this morning at his home here. He was one of the wealthiest men in Lethbridge, being interested in many ventures besides drilling for oil on the Montana border. During prohibition he is said to have amassed a fortune by operating liquor export houses at Lethbridge, Fernie and other British Columbia points. An inquest has been ordered.

OLDEST OREGON REPORTER DEAD FROM A FALL

Portland, Ore., Sept. 30.—Addison Bennett, oldest and best known newspaper writer in Oregon, died at a hospital to-day, aged seventy-nine, from the effects of a fall suffered at his home here recently in which he fractured a hip.

VANCOUVER FIRM GETS CONTRACT FOR COAST ROADS

Robertson Brothers of Vancouver have been awarded the contract for building roads around Bella Coola to connect with the new Dominion Government wharves there, Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, announced to-day. The successful tenderers' bid amounted to \$45,000 and was far below any other figure submitted, Dr. Sutherland said. Work will commence immediately while the Dominion authorities are building the new wharf.

MACDONALD NOW HERE TO TENDER HIS RESIGNATION

Provincial Secretary Busy Winding up Departmental Affairs Before Retiring

Many Important Questions Await Consideration of the Premier, Due To-morrow

Hon. K. C. Macdonald, Provincial Secretary, reached here to-day to hand his resignation to Premier Oliver. The defeated Minister attended a meeting of the Cabinet this morning but no decision on the date when he will formally resign was reached. Dr. Macdonald has yet to clear up a number of matters outstanding in his department and when he has attended to these he will retire to private life. His successor will be named on the Premier's return. It is expected that Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Finance and former Provincial Secretary, will fill the position until after the Fall session of the Legislature.

The Premier is expected to reach here to-morrow afternoon from the mainland unless he spends the day in Vancouver. A number of important matters await his consideration. The first of these is the reorganization of his Cabinet, following Dr. Macdonald's defeat. Whether he will appoint another minister is not known but it is considered possible that he may ask one of the Vancouver members, probably Brigadier-General Victor Odium, to become a member of his Cabinet without portfolio, thus avoiding another by-election.

One of the first matters to which the Government will turn its attention will be a dispute between the Department of Agriculture and contractors who announced plans to start within a week on her trans-Atlantic flight to Lakehurst, N.J., has been insured for \$500,000 by English, Dutch and German companies.

SCOTTISH RITE MASONS COMING

Will be Here Friday and Saturday After Convention in Vancouver

There will be a large gathering of Thirty-third Degree Masons of the Scottish rite in Victoria on Friday and Saturday, following the convention of the Supreme Council for Canada of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite in Vancouver, which opened here this morning. It is the first time this body has met in B.C.

A banquet will be held at the Hotel Vancouver to-morrow evening. In addition to the provincial members, there will be a number of American Masons at the gathering.

J. Alexander Cameron of Montreal, sovereign grand commander, was among those who have arrived in Vancouver.

Sir John Gibson, former Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, and Lady Gibson, did not make the trip West with the special party over Canadian National Railways line, but they will take part in the sessions and social affairs arranged, respectively, for the visiting Masons and their wives.

Deputies from the province of Canada who are in Vancouver are as follows: J. H. Winfield of Halifax, N.S.; Rev. Frank Charters of Montreal, Quebec; F. J. Howell of Hamilton, Ontario; deputy, and Mrs. Howell; J. Miller of Winnipeg, Manitoba; deputy; Alexander Sheppard of Regina, Saskatchewan; Dr. E. A. Braithwaite of Edmonton, Alberta; deputy; and J. B. Seymour, deputy of British Columbia.

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GIANT DIRIGIBLE HEAVILY INSURED

Friedrichshafen, Sept. 30.—The giant dirigible ZR-3, built here by the Zeppelin Company for the United States navy which, according to reports, is to be used for mail service within a week on her trans-Atlantic flight to Lakehurst, N.J., has been insured for \$500,000 by English, Dutch and German companies.

BRAZILIAN REBELS SURRENDER TO TROOPS

Buenos Ayres, Sept. 30.—A battalion of Brazilian rebels, composed of two hundred officers and men, has surrendered to Federal troops near Sao Jao, according to a telegram from the commander of the Federal forces in Mato Grosso. The rebels had suffered many killed and wounded.

MEMORIAL APPEAL

The committee appointed at a public meeting to ensure the erecting of a war memorial in honor of the citizens of Victoria who gave their lives during the Great War have pleasure in reporting that all arrangements have been completed for receiving subscriptions and an office has been opened at 610 Fort St. In order that all may have an opportunity of bringing their gifts, whether small or large, the office is open daily from 9 till 6 and on Saturday from 9 till 9. Those who desire to mail their contributions please note the address.

Let us all pull together, take the opportunity which is offered, and so remove from Victoria the reproach that she has forgotten those who made the great sacrifice.

H. T. RAVENHILL, Chairman.
 A. E. HARRISON, Campaign Secretary.
 LOTTIE BROWN, Honorary Secretary.

JAPANESE AGREE TO COMPROMISE ON PEACE PACT

Withdraw Amendment to Aggressor Clause Which Threatened Geneva Treaty

Geneva, Sept. 30.—A complete accord was reached to-day by Sir Cecil Hurst of Great Britain, M. Loucheur of France and Signor Scialoja of Italy, the three statesmen entrusted with the task of finding a solution of the difficulty brought about by the presentation of the Japanese of an amendment to the protocol on arbitration and security. The agreement reached is satisfactory to the Japanese, who were represented by M. Adachi at a private conference with the special committee this morning.

JAPANESE ACCEPT

The broad basis of the solution arrived at, Dr. Benes of Czechoslovakia, informed the Associated Press, is that the Council of the League of Nations always will have the right to examine all conflicts arising between nations with a view to the Pacific settlement of such conflicts. He said that the Japanese had formally accepted the compromise formula and that the amendment to the aggressor clause, which makes an aggressor of any state refusing to abide by a decision of the world court when the case is referred to one of international jurisdiction, is one of intervention.

When the Council or World Court declares that a dispute involves a matter within the domestic jurisdiction of one party to the dispute, the aggressor clause will not be applied. If this is not sought, then the party agreement whom the World Court ruled in declaring the issue a domestic one, will continue to be an aggressor. The attendance of the aggressor clause, however, may bring up the question. The attitude of the British dominions to the compromise agreement was not clear, but Signor Scialoja told the correspondents after this morning's meeting that the accord that had been reached would be presented to the sub-committee of the judicial commission at 3 p.m. A full meeting of the arbitration commission has been convoked for 3.45 for final discussion of the accord.

UPON LEGAL PHASE

Tokyo, Sept. 30.—Japanese insistence on the amendment to the proposed protocol of arbitration and security now before the League of Nations is based wholly upon the legal, not the immigration phase of the question and inferences to the contrary are far fetched, according to official views of the League of Nations. A prominent member of the press and the newspaper and officials in the manner in which the press avoided any previous reference to the subject, the most remarkable characteristics of Japan's reception of the pronouncements of Japanese delegates at Geneva.

PATHOLOGISTS TESTIFY AT BOAK HEARING TO-DAY

Chief Constable Robert Owens Declares Saw Human Remains on Car at Trial Below

Witness Tells of Two Cars Racing on Quadra Street Between 9 and 9.30 p.m.

That he had seen a particle of what he took to be either skin or brain on one of the doors taken off the Boak car, while the preliminary hearing was actually in progress was the startling statement made to the Assize Court to-day by Chief Constable Robert Owens, forty-third witness for the Crown. The police officer stated he pointed out the matter to E. L. Tait, crown prosecutor at the time, and to P. C. Rawling, both of whom sat near the table on which the doors rested. No action had been taken on his discovery at that hearing, said witness, who stated that he was surprised and reported the matter to the superintendent of the provincial police.

A further story of two cars racing on Quadra Street between 9 p.m. and 9.30 p.m. was told the court this morning in the sixth day of the hearing of Rex versus Boak, when John W. Brotherton, a resident of the Lake Hill district, said he had stepped from the roadway to the bank to allow the cars to give him a hand, he was traveling in the centre of the road and the other hugging it closely, both southbound.

Indicated by the Crown in opening this morning, the evidence of pathologists will be called this afternoon. Two doors and a piece of car handle rubber have been submitted to the analysts for tests and the result of these tests will be laid before the court.

M. B. Jackson, K.C., for the Crown, replying to complaints of delay in furnishing this material to the defense, made by H. A. Maclean, K.C., stated that some equipment had to be brought from San Francisco and from Toronto in order to make the tests possible. D. E. Whittaker, Government analyst; Dr. John H. Moore, pathologist of the St. Joseph's Hospital; and Dr. W. B. Walker of the Jubilee Hospital, made independent tests which will be given to the jury in detail this afternoon.

COSTS SOAR

The cost of the Assizes, not yet completed its first hearing, with three cases yet unheard, already approximates \$4,000 to date, comprised of heavy witness fees for a total of fifty-five witnesses for the Crown. Mr. Justice Murphy, presiding, declared to-day that the proceedings would have to be pushed along much faster than they have been going.

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MINES FLOODED, BRIDGES DOWN IN FLOODS IN UNITED STATES

New York, Sept. 30 (Canadian Press)—Six deaths have been reported and hundreds of thousands of dollars damage to property, the result of floods in different parts of the country which reached a crest to-day following forty-eight hours constant rain. Eastern Pennsylvania reported flood conditions with streams rapidly rising and three drownings.

At Jermyn, near Scranton, a concrete bridge over a stream gave way and two men were swept away in the floods. A woman standing on the bank of the creek at Miners' Mills, near Wilkesbarre, was precipitated into the water when the bank washed away, and was drowned. Hazelton reported eighteen of the anthracite mines in the vicinity flooded with a consequent cut in production of fifty per cent. At Mauch Chunk two men repairing a sewer archway were caught in a rush of flood water and drowned. At Wilkesbarre a workman came in contact with a live wire blown down during the storm and was instantly killed. Floods causing damage which may run into six figures accompanied the storm which drenched Baltimore and neighboring Maryland communities to-day and yesterday.

RIVERS OVERFLOW

The Severn, Pataposcus and other streams overflowed their banks, flooding homes along the river fronts. High winds complicated the situation, piling up the waters.

Damage reaching into the hundreds of thousands of dollars have resulted in the vicinity of Washington, D.C., from the rains. Fields have been flooded, crops have been beaten down and many small streams have gone over their banks.

The rain accompanied by high winds swept across New York State yesterday and to-day. Crops in the vicinity of Ithaca were beaten into the ground and cellars in the town were flooded. At Binghamton all local records for rainfall were shattered when at noon to-day the down-pour in the previous twenty-four hours measured 4.85 inches.

MUSSOLINI TO BUILD TALLEST SKY SCRAPER

Will Run up Eighty Stories And Contain 3,500 Rooms

Rome, Sept. 30.—Premier Mussolini to-day received in audience Mario Alani, an Argentine architect and engineer, and approved plans for the construction in Rome of the largest and tallest skyscraper in the world. It is intended that the structure shall be a monument to Fascism, but it is also to be a practical building. It will be erected on government land, in the Quarter Castro Pretorio, which has become the centre of new Rome. It will be 300 metres tall, or two and a half times higher than St. Peter's. It will have a frontage of 300 metres. It will run up eighty stories and contain altogether 3,500 rooms, 100 huge committee rooms, one large theatre, a concert hall and a gymnasium.

BANK CLEARINGS

For month of September bank clearings were: Vancouver, \$2,331,410; New Westminster, \$2,765,212.

BUILDINGS ROCK IN EARTHQUAKE FELT IN MAINE

Portland, Maine, Sept. 30.—A slight earthquake was felt early to-day in this city and reports from other points indicate that the movement was apparently over a large area. In Rockland, two distinct shocks were reported, the first at 3.30 o'clock, rocked buildings, while the second, five minutes later, was slight.

Sherbrooke, Que., Sept. 30.—Distinct shocks lasting more than a minute and a half were felt at 2.55 this morning in Sherbrooke. A distinct rumbling sound was heard. Reports from Valley Junction indicate that the shock was more severe there, although no damage was reported. Flower pots were shaken off windowsills and other smaller objects shaken down.

FIRE WRECKS BOX FACTORY OF BELLINGHAM MILL AND SWEEPS INTO LUMBER YARD

Bloedel-Donovan and Morrison Companies Suffer Total Loss of \$400,000 in Midnight Blaze; Four Firemen Overcome in Battle With Flames

Bellingham, Wash., Sept. 30.—Fire which destroyed the box factory of the Bloedel-Donovan Lumber Mills and swept through one-third of the lumber yard of the Morrison Mill Company's cargo plant here shortly before last midnight, caused a total loss of \$400,000, it was estimated by officials to-day, after the fire had been brought under control. About seventy-five per cent of the loss is covered by insurance. The blaze was fanned by a strong southeast wind and for several hours it appeared that the Morrison Mill could not be saved. The firemen made their successful stand at the edge of the main plant.

LUMBER LOST

In addition to the box factory, built at a cost of \$120,000 and employing eighty-five men, the Bloedel-Donovan Company lost about 4,000,000 feet of lumber and the Morrison Company lost approximately 9,000,000 feet. Each company placed its loss at not less than \$200,000.

Four firemen were injured or overcome by smoke and three of them are in hospital to-day. All will recover.

The fire, which started at 12.15 o'clock this morning in the box factory, soon destroyed the factory. Sparks alighted on the Morrison Company's mill, three blocks distant. A strong wind blew in the direction of the neighboring mill. All available men of the city fire department were called out in an effort to prevent the fire from spreading.

The Bloedel-Donovan Company's mill here is one of the largest in the world.

SLOT MACHINES ARE ILLEGAL IN CANADA AFTER TO-MORROW

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—By an amendment to the Criminal Code made at the last session of Parliament slot machines after to-morrow, October 1, will be regarded as games of chance and their operation illegal throughout Canada.

TAX SALE BEGINS IN THIS CITY

Larger Attendance Than Year Ago; Two Classes of Properties

While delinquents were engaged paying into the treasury taxes to save their property from the tax sale, City Treasurer Smith started this morning on a long list of some 500 parcels of land, to be disposed of during the present annual tax sale.

Before adjournment ten parcels were disposed of at the upset price of \$2,494.55. The attendance was much larger than a year ago, and the evidence appears to point to steady interest. It is intended to call off to-morrow's sale formally in order to permit the civic court of revision to assemble, and selling will be resumed on Thursday morning, after which it is expected to proceed without check.

This week the treasurer will be engaged in offering properties upon which there are no consolidated arrears, and this is the section where the rush to the city hall is concerned, as payment of the 1922 taxes would keep the property out of tax sale.

Next Monday it is intended to make a start upon the properties charged with arrears of taxes consolidated in a ten-year payment plan, and all charges up to the end of last year have to be met on these lots.

In connection with the property offered, it is surprising how large a percentage is small residential property, where the taxes are small against the estate.

There will be very little business property offered, the delinquents having rallied to prevent this during the past few days.

RICHEST MAN IN AUSTRIA FACES FRAUD CHARGES

Names of C. Castiglioni and Co-directors Linked With Sensational Bank Failure

Vienna, Sept. 30.—Sensational developments are reported here in connection with the recent failure of the Deposit Bank, and according to a semi-official statement, a warrant will be issued for a former president of the bank if a judicial inquiry warrants this step.

London, Sept. 30.—All Austria is stirred, according to a Vienna dispatch to The London Chronicle, by police proceedings against Camillo Castiglioni, known as the "financial czar" and generally declared to be Austria's richest man, in connection with alleged frauds involving huge sums of money. Herr Neumann and Herr Goldstein, co-directors of his enterprises, are also accused.

Castiglioni left Vienna recently and a summons has been issued according to the newspapers, calling upon him to return. It was during the war that he became known as the nation's wealthiest man and it was then that he was made controller of the Deposit Bank which failed last May.

LIONS CLUB OPENS CONTINENT-WIDE DRUG BATTLE

Toronto, Sept. 30.—A continent-wide battle against the evil of narcotics is to be waged by the Lions Club in every state of the United States and every province in Canada. Under a plan to be laid down by the international executive of the Association of Lions Clubs preliminary steps were taken here yesterday at the opening session of the international executive meeting.

MADE MAYOR OF TOKIO; GOTO MAY DECLINE IT

Tokio, Sept. 30.—Viscount Shimpei Goto, former mayor of Tokio, was re-elected to that office by the municipal assembly at a meeting this afternoon. Dr. Goto's acceptance, however, is considered doubtful.

The election held to-day followed the resignation as mayor of Hidejiro Nagata on September 5, after a disagreement with the assembly over the confirmation of one of Nagata's appointees.

NELSON PUTTOCK, B.C. HARVESTER, DIES

Saskatoon, Sask., Sept. 30.—Nelson Puttock, a harvester from British Columbia, dropped dead while at work on a threshing machine near Kinley, Sask. His smothering, his antecedents are not known here.

White River, Ont., Sept. 30.—After three days and nights in cold Autumn weather spent on the open air on an exposed island in White Lake with their only food a light lunch, sufficient for one day, John Campbell, Mrs. J. Somers, and telegraphers of King, a station twenty miles west of here, arrived yesterday much exhausted from their experience.

They had gone out Friday in a launch to spend the day, were disabled in a storm, driven ashore and found by a lumberman after search parties had failed. They had practically been given up for lost.

TRADE FOR CANADA WITH SOUTH AFRICA

Possibilities of a Large Extension Are Seen by Senator Gustave Boyer

London, Sept. 29 (Canadian Press Cable)—Senator Gustave Boyer of Canada, who arrived at Southampton yesterday in company with J. H. Thomas, Colonial Secretary, and Sir Douglas Birlin, M.P., members of the Empire Parliamentary Association...

tion, who recently toured South Africa, in an interview, said he foresaw a possibility of a large extension of trade between Canada and South Africa. Senator Boyer especially referred to the possibility of Canada taking for larger quantities of South African dried fruit and oranges than is the case at present. He expressed the hope that reciprocal trade arrangements might be made between South Africa and Canada, the latter being always a pioneer in inter-Dominion reciprocity.

After drawing a parallel between the racial problems of South Africa and Canada, Senator Boyer said he was convinced that whatever party was in power in South Africa the Australian Provincial Government would continue to be a member of the British Commonwealth. Incidentally the Senator mentioned that he had been favorably impressed with the privileges and rights enjoyed by the Dutch in South Africa.

OPPOSE PREFERENCE London, Sept. 29.—The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Sydney says that W. Shakespeare, secretary of the Australian Provincial Press Association, states that the members of the association are opposed to the preference given to Canada on new paper in the trade agreement between the Australian and Canadian Governments, the opposition being mainly on economic and patriotic grounds.

Secretary Shakespeare, not in agreement with H. Fratten, Australian Minister of Trade and Customs, that the result of the agreement will not materially affect the British paper mill industry in Australia should favor American-owned paper mills in Canada. The preference given British newspaper by the Australian Commonwealth, Secretary Shakespeare says, has proved a blessing to thousands of skilled workmen in Great Britain and has resulted in two of the largest paper mills in the world being constructed in the United Kingdom to cope with the requirements of the export trade. While the British paper mills are fighting against heavy odds to retain their pre-war status, the Canadian paper mills have expanded and are exporting nearly ninety per cent of their production to the United States, from which the country British newspaper is practically excluded on the ground that it is too high priced.

UNITED STATES CONTROL Ninety-one per cent of the newspaper from the Canadian Pacific Coast, supplying the Australian trade are from the American-owned and American-controlled mills. Mr. Shakespeare asserts. The members of the Australian Provincial Press Association, he says, would prefer to pay duty on "Canadian" newspaper rather than see the interests of the Commonwealth and Great Britain sacrificed.

HOWARD CONING, CONSERVATIVE CHIEF IN NOVA SCOTIA, DEAD Frederickton, N.B., Sept. 29.—Howard W. Coning of Chegoogin, N.S., leader of the Conservative Party in the Nova Scotia Legislature, died this forenoon at Victoria Hospital, after he was under treatment for typhoid fever. He was forty-five years old.

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PREMIER APPEALS FOR HARMONY ON IRISH BILL

Ramsay MacDonald Makes First Political Speech Since Recess

Derby, Eng., Sept. 29.—In his first political speech since the parliamentary recess, Premier MacDonald, referring Saturday to the meeting of Parliament Tuesday to deal with the Irish bill, appealed to Home Rulers, Liberals, Laborites and Conservatives to come together so that the bargain solemnly entered into with South Ireland might be carried out.

Someone asked him what about the North, and to this the Premier retorted: "I have not got to deal with entirely like the South." Alluding to the Geneva Conference, Mr. MacDonald said the Labor Party must stand for an international work and outlaw war.

CONCESSIONS Defending the Anglo-Russian Treaty, the Premier pointed out that this was the second stage of the Labor Government's efforts to make peace with Russia, for which he was called a Bolshevik. He knew there were difficulties about the treaty and that explanations would have to be given. The treaty granted Great Britain the most favored nation's clause and Great Britain had secured many valuable concessions.

PREMIER MACDONALD EMPHASIZES THE CONSTANT PROGRESSION OF REPORTS OF A LA FOLLETTE STRENGTH IN THE WEST IS WORRYING THE REPUBLICAN MANAGERS. They believe La Follette will cut into the Democratic strength rather than the Republican in the East, but fear the former vote may turn heavily to La Follette in the West.

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London, Sept. 29.—Prime Minister MacDonald moved second reading of the bill providing for the creation of an Irish Boundary Commission without the participation of the Irish. He declared it was the essential duty of every government to fulfill its obligations. He said he resented the charge that his Government was an attempt to coerce Ulster.

SEEKS DATA ON EARLY BATTERY Lt.-Col. F. A. Robertson Gathers Information on Mainland New Westminster, Sept. 29.—In order to compile a historical record of the old Seymour-Battery, Canadian Garrison Artillery, which was in New Westminster in the early nineties, Lt.-Col. F. A. Robertson, O.C., 5th Regiment, C. G. A., Victoria, has written to Mayor T. S. Annandale seeking assistance in this regard. The activities of the battery were a little ahead of the time of the arrival of the mayor in New Westminster and he is in a quandary as to whom to approach in search of the information sought by Col. Robertson.

LA FOLLETTE LOOMS AS DANGEROUS RIVAL

Reports of His Strength From Most States West of Mississippi

Washington, Sept. 29 (By Canadian Press)—The possibility of a change in the political situation between now and November is engaging the attention of keen observers of conditions. Based on the present conditions, the general expectation here is that the President Coolidge will be elected, but at the same time there are new reports to the effect that Senator La Follette is strong in the West and that this strength may be sufficient to prevent Coolidge getting a majority of the electoral college vote. This would throw the election into Congress. On a basis of the present surveys of sentiment, John W. Davis, the Democratic nominee, cannot be elected.

President Coolidge has considered a Western trip but has been told it would be a mistake that it would be interpreted as a sign of a Republican panic and would do him great harm. The President, therefore, will probably not go West. It is made plain by the White House, however, that he has made no final decision and if later the demands are too strong and the need too great he will go. In other words, it will depend on the outlook several weeks hence whether the President visits the West.

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ATLANTIC ZEP TO BE LESS PROBABLY OF RECEIVING THIS YEAR

Trained Squads Ready to Receive German-built Dirigible in United States

Washington, Sept. 29.—A suitable name is being sought by the naval air service for the dirigible ZR-3, German built aircraft to the Shenandoah, which is expected to sail for Lakehurst about October 5. The word "Shenandoah" is Indian, meaning "Daughter of the Stars," and it is hoped to find a name for the new air cruiser which will continue the same idea.

The few preparations necessary to receive the ZR-3 on this side already are under way. Trained guards have been assigned to the Shenandoah, Langley Field and Paris Island and to serve as emergency ground crews should unfavorable weather prevent landing at Lakehurst. The three ships selected for greater observations off the North Atlantic Coast have received orders to take their post. They are the Patoka, station ship, Detroit, observation ship, and Milwaukee, relay ship.

On arrival at Lakehurst, the gas with which the ZR-3 will be inflated for the transatlantic journey will be withdrawn and helium substituted because of the larger margin of safety against accident. There is not sufficient stock of the non-inflammable gas on hand at present to inflate both the Shenandoah and the ZR-3 but the surplus available has been sent to Lakehurst for the new-comer and the manufacturing process will be expedited to make up the deficit. The Shenandoah probably will be on the West Coast when the ZR-3 arrives.

PATHOLOGISTS TESTIFY AT BOAK HEARING TODAY (Continued from page 1) Late sittings would be resorted to if necessary. At the opening of the hearing George Faulkner was recalled on a point of evidence given formerly. He had not seen the mark of dried blood in the ditch as mentioned in the police statement, and had no personal knowledge as to the finding of a broken door handle.

John W. Brotherhood, resident at McKensie Avenue and Quadra Street, some distance north of the accident scene took the stand as thirty-seventh witness for the Crown. Witness recalled seeing a man walking cows to a spot north of his residence when he had to climb from Quadra Street to let three cars go by. Two were racing southbound, close together. The man was coming from the direction of the city. This was between 9 p.m. and 9.30 p.m. Of the two cars mentioned the lead one was in the centre of the roadway and the second car was close to it as it tried to get by. They were running at a speed he estimated at between forty and forty-five miles an hour. Some days later he saw a man walking from the scene and observed little difference between the relative speed of the cars, compared to that made by the police vehicle.

GERMAN CROP

The German crop estimated on the basis of forecasts from Prussia and Bavaria is about 2,000,000 bushels compared with 1,000,000 bushels last year, and the Rumanian crop according to private reports will be about 70 per cent of last year when the harvest was 101,000,000 bushels.

The Canadian crop has improved during the past month under favorable weather conditions, the department reports. The September 1 forecast is 291,000,000 bushels, which is an increase of 100,000 bushels over the August forecast but 183,000,000 bushels less than the final estimate of last year. Harvesting in the Prairie Provinces is about two weeks late and there is still some chance of gain or loss in the crop. Rain during August improved conditions generally, but in Alberta rain was too late to save the crop where the drought injury was severe. Some damage has been caused by frost but its extent has not yet been determined. Grain yields in Manitoba are reported as considerably above average, but due to the late season the area to be harvested is less than last year. Yields in Saskatchewan and Alberta are considerably below average.

FLAXSEED Production of flaxseed in Canada is reported to be 10,546,000 bushels compared with 7,139,500 bushels last year; rye, 12,799,000 bushels, compared with 23,222,000 bushels; barley, 30,753,000 bushels, compared with 26,985,000 bushels, and wheat, 462,860,000 bushels, compared with 563,988,000 bushels last year.

SCOTTISH RITE MASONS COMING (Continued from page 1) Other members of the council and those who accompany them are: Dr. A. F. Webster, Mrs. Webster and daughter, Mrs. Godfrey of Toronto; Alexander McDougall, Mayor of Edmonton, Alta.; Fred Symes of Port William, Ont.; E. B. Tate and Miss Tate and David S. Ramage of Regina, Sask.; John McKnight and Mrs. McKnight of Toronto, F. J. Maw and Mrs. Maw, D. J. Peace and Mrs. Peace, G. R. Lloyd and Mrs. Lloyd, Thomas Lees and Mrs. Lees, A. M. Cunningham and Mrs. Cunningham, A. G. Bain, J. J. Eves and George Moore, all of Ottawa; J. H. Pullman, A. H. McKee and Mrs. McKee, F. G. Waite and Mrs. Waite, J. C. Scott and Mrs. Scott, all of Ottawa; R. W. Clewley of Toronto.

ABSOLUTE DECREE Vancouver, Sept. 29.—Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald granted Mrs. Amelia Florence Hubenet, of Victoria, an absolute decree of divorce, dissolving a marriage solemnized June 28, 1918, in St. Mary's Parish, Warwick, Eng., to William Charles Hubenet. This latter, according to the wife, has been guilty of desertion and of intimacy with another woman. The wife was awarded costs against the husband.

ODDEN LECTURE On Friday of this week in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. Williams Odden will deliver his interesting lecture "Mighty London—the Wonder of his World." This lecture was recently given before the Women's Canadian Club of Vancouver.

DIED DUNN—On Thursday afternoon, at the family residence, 531 Admiral's Road, there passed away, after a lingering illness, Hunter Dunbar Dunn, Mrs. Catherine Allan and the late Mr. Albert E. Dunn, aged 72 years; a native of Banff and a resident of this city for the past twelve years. He leaves to mourn his loss his mother, four brothers and three sisters. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1233 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2 p.m. when the Rev. F. C. Chapman will conduct the service, after which the remains will be laid to rest in the cemetery at Howe Bay Cemetery.

ANNOUNCEMENTS Ask your grocer for Hollybrook Creamery Butter; quality guaranteed. Butter—Insist on the best local fresh made Salt Spring Island Creamery. Razor Blades—Resharpened—F. D. Cox, 637 Fort Street. Women's Canadian Club annual meeting Tuesday, October 7, Empire Hotel, 2.30. Annual reports, election of officers.



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SEEKS DATA ON EARLY BATTERY Lt.-Col. F. A. Robertson Gathers Information on Mainland

C.P.R. NET PROFITS HIGHER IN AUGUST Montreal, Sept. 29.—Through an unusually sharp reduction in working expenses during the month of August the Canadian Pacific Railway Company reports a net profit for that month of \$1,115,530. Figures for August and for eight months are: Gross earnings 1924, \$14,324,121; 1923, \$16,417,124; decrease, \$2,093,003. Working expenses 1924, \$11,155,530; 1923, \$13,306,165; decrease, \$2,144,635. Net profit 1924, \$1,115,530; 1923, \$3,111,959; increase, \$51,582. From January 1 gross earnings were: 1924, \$113,564,715; 1923, \$112,940,464; increase, \$624,251. Working expenses 1924, \$119,238,125; 1923, \$114,758,452; increase, \$1,114,784.

MISS BONFIELD SEES PREMIER OF ONTARIO Toronto, Sept. 29.—As a result of a conference here yesterday between Premier Ferguson of Ontario and Miss Margaret Bonfield, M.P., Parliamentary Secretary to the British Department of Labor, the Ontario Government's proposal to establish a provincial, central residence clearing house for colonies of British-born immigrants is to be revived.

A. T. FREED, FORMER HAMILTON EDITOR, DIED ON SATURDAY Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 30.—A. T. Freed, prominent Mason and journalist of the old school, who was formerly editor of the Hamilton Spectator, died on Saturday, aged eighty-nine.

SANTO DOMINGO TO JOIN WORLD LEAGUE Geneva, Sept. 29.—The League of Nations Assembly voted today to admit the republic of Santo Domingo to membership in the League.

EARTHQUAKE FELT Washington, Sept. 29.—An earthquake of slight intensity was registered on the Georgetown University seismograph early to-day, beginning at 2.58 o'clock and lasting till 4.05. Father Tondorf estimated its distance as probably within a radius of 400 miles of Washington.

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NEWSPRINT TRADE WILL BE EXTENDED

Great Britain's Preference Had Practically Cut Canada Out of Australian Market

Sydney, N.S.W., Sept. 30. (Canadian Press cable via Reuters)—H. E. Pratten, Minister of Trade and Customs of Australia, explaining in the House of Representatives the pro-

posals with regard to the Canadian-Australian trade agreement, illustrated the striking advantage of the newspaper preference which Great Britain has had since 1921 and which had practically destroyed the Canadian newspaper trade with this country. Last year Australia took 40,000 tons of Great Britain's total export of 74,000 tons, the Minister said.

Canada will not likely be able to export more than 30,000 tons of newspaper a year to Australia under the new agreement, it is thought, and the result of the agreement will not materially alter the present trade in newspaper with Great Britain, but it will result in cutting out the newspaper exports from Scandi-

DIES WITHIN FEW HOURS OF HIS SISTER

Toronto, Sept. 30.—Within 24 hours after the death of a younger sister, Miss Amelia Robinson of Toronto, Thomas Robinson, who had come to the city because of Miss Robinson's illness, succumbed to heart disease at her home yesterday. Until the seizure he had appeared in good health.

CROWN WITNESSES AT TIME BARRIER BOAK HEARING

Witnesses Declare Party Broke up About 9 o'Clock

Four New Witnesses Tell of Seeing Traces on Boak Car

New lengths in the hearing of the manslaughter charge against Dr. Eric W. Boak were indicated by M. B. Jackson, K. C., crown counsel upon the resumption of the trial at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Two new witnesses have been added by the Crown, bringing the roster up to fifty-one persons who will take the stand during the course of the case for the prosecution.

Exhibit 34, the left running board of the Boak car, was entered at the opening of the hearing, in evidence as to the presence of abrasions and marks on the underneath side, contested at the morning hearing.

The afternoon, with three hours of evidence, was spent by the prosecution in whitening away at the important time factor in the case. Five doctors who had been guests of Dr. Fraser at the Brentwood party on the day in question took the stand to tell of their presence at the party which broke up before 9 p.m. or thereafter.

TWO SPEEDING CARS
Others told of two racing motor cars which passed at a terrific speed, headed in the direction of the city. One or two witnesses testified they recognized the car of Dr. Duck and thought the other of the pair had been one similar to that driven by Dr. Boak. Witnesses did not agree as to the speed of the cars, some saying from twenty-five to thirty miles an hour and others from forty to forty-five miles an hour. No witness directly connected the accused as an occupant of either car.

At the opening of the hearing the defence started a hare that had a short run before it was nipped by the prosecution. H. A. Maclean, defence counsel, asked the Crown to admit that there was a blood or other relationship between the Ballantyne family and the witness Dempster. Called to the stand Mr. Dempster denied any connection with the be-reaved family other than that he had been a friend of the late Mr. Ballantyne for the past ten years.

BRAIN ON VISOR?

Patrick O'Connell, a motor salesman of the Reg Motor Company took the stand to testify that he had seen traces of foreign substance on the Boak car on the morning after the accident. He testified that he saw two inches long under the sun visor at the left hand corner which he described as a "mushy substance, red and creamy," which he took to be brains. A small piece of material was stripped away from the corner of the sun visor and missing. Witness saw nothing else on the car that aroused his attention. The sun visor was linked to the hood in the normal position from the top of the hood over the wind shield.

John A. Fennell, a fellow salesman of the Reg Motor Company, took the stand to accompany the previous witness to the scene. He too saw the sun visor when his attention was drawn to it, and saw what he took to be brain matter at the left hand corner. Witness was within three feet of the spot at the time. He saw nothing unusual but did not go around the car to look, concluded Mr. Fennell.

John Cocking testified the court with a tale of several blood spots on the left hand side of the Boak car. Witness said he called at the scene between 8 a.m. and 9 p.m. on the day. He noticed an inch and a half of black leather rubbed from the iron of "the thing that comes over the windshield" and a string of something looking like blood.

SAW BLOOD SPOTS
On the rear left mudguard witness said he saw four or five spots of pus, which he described as blood and matter. Witness testified that he saw four or five spots of blood in addition to the ruling board on the body of the car. Witness did not go around the car but stood at the left side, looking.

Witness, on cross examination, described the blood stains on the left mudguard as distinct spots which appeared to have splashed on from a point six inches above the running board to near the top of the mudguard. He saw nothing at the exact centre of the mudguard. The blood spots varied from the size of a small five cent piece to that of an American nickel. He splashed water upwards as if something thrown, he repeated. In the left hand corner of the sun visor he saw a "kind of stringy stuff," concluded witness, who said his hand on the mudguard when he made these discoveries.

MARKS PLAINLY VISIBLE
Mrs. Jane Cocking, wife of the previous witness, said she saw some spots on the Boak car of blood and matter mixed together. Some were on the mudguard, some on the running board, and a mark on the sun visor, all on the left hand side. Witness saw five or six blotches on the running board, four on the mudguard, the latter rather larger. This would be about 8 a.m. on August 21. The marks were quite plain enough for anyone to see, some being as witness put it, "bigger than the top of my thumb."

Gordon Ballantyne, a son of one of the men slain on the night of August 20, stated he heard his father talking to Mrs. McLachlan in a nearby room in the Quadra Street family residence, when he entered the house at 8 p.m. on a hard day's work. He looked at the clock himself at 10:10 p.m. and decided to go to bed instead of reading as accustomed. He went upstairs and was in bed within five minutes. Shortly after that he heard the screams or brakes, but thought no more about it. Witness in answer to a question by the court, said he had no personal knowledge of when the two elderly men left for their ill-fated walk.

DOCTOR'S STAND

Dr. Forest Leader, subpoenaed by the Crown with other medical men to give evidence, stated that to his mind the party at Dr. Fraser's home broke up before 9 p.m. Witness testified his best guess is that he was walking on the private drive to the road was lighted by the headlights of two cars that passed him en route. His own car was on the roadway, facing the city. Witness did not know

who were in these two cars. Later on the road he observed Dr. Moore and Dr. McMicking at the side of the road with tire trouble.

Witness met little traffic in driving home. He came by way of the Mount Newton Cross Roads which were bumpy. En route two lots of three cars each, northbound, passed him going in the opposite direction. He passed and was passed by a vegetable delivery wagon which then proceeded fifty yards ahead of him towards the city until it turned off the road some distance south of the scene. This car was within his sight for the entire route.

TIME OF ARRIVAL

Witness, at Fort Street, looked at his watch, which was then 9:27 p.m. and reflected he would be home at 9:30 p.m. He read about the accident next day and checked his watch which was three minutes fast. He would say he was at Mears Street at 9:25 p.m. At no time to his knowledge was he passed by or did he pass the Boak car.

Asked, on a point of medical testimony, how long human remains would take to grow cold under circumstances such as these, witness stated about eight or ten hours would be required. On cross examination witness said his was the fifth car to leave the party. Witness travelled at a speed of twenty-five miles an hour on the way home, the crossroads of this were passed at twenty miles an hour, the road being a little rougher. Witness was much struck by the absence of traffic on the road.

Dr. A. B. Hudson, was the second medical witness to take the stand. Witness left the party and started home in Dr. Taylor's car, at 8:50 p.m., among the first of the guests to leave. He arrived at the City Hall at 9:40 p.m.

DID NOT SEE ACCUSED

The car was overtaken by two cars on the Saanich Road, east by the Prairie Hotel. These were city-bound and traveling at a high rate of speed. He would place their speed at between forty and forty-five miles an hour. One was a two seater car, and they were not very close together. To his personal knowledge he neither passed nor was passed by the Boak car.

Dr. William T. Barrett, the third professional man called, stated that he traveled home with Dr. Nelson. Witness could not swear what time the party broke up, but was, he thought, before 9 p.m. Witness came in a car that was parked next to that of Dr. Boak, and witness' car got away first.

Just near the Prairie Hotel two cars passed that of witness, and witness took one to be that of Dr. Boak and the other to be that of Dr. C. W. Duck. They were traveling close together and passed one right after the other. Witness was not going fast at the time.

Dr. E. C. Hart was ahead in a car that stayed fifty yards ahead as the witness all witness saw in front of him. He arrived at his home at 9:40 p.m. in his own office by some ten minutes before he looked at the time. He was then 9:50 p.m. Witness said he passed a small car near the Prairie Hotel, a little car that was going rather slowly. Witness would estimate his arrival at town as 9:40 p.m.

AT PRAIRIE HOTEL

Dr. Rundle Nelson took the stand. He too had attended the Fraser party. He came home with Dr. Barrett. They left at 8:53 p.m. or thereabouts. At the Prairie Hotel two cars passed the witness. He took the lead car to be that of Dr. Duck, but did not know who owned the second one. He felt it was Dr. Boak's car but did not actually see it if it were or not.

Witness arrived opposite the Gold-on-West Bakery on Quadra at 9:53 p.m. or thereabouts and remarked that they had come in in about thirty five minutes. He went to the home of Dr. Barrett to get his own car and it was then 9:40 p.m. He did not see the Duck nor Boak car again.

Here Mr. Maclean had a slight brush with the witness as to advance information supplied as to what each witness would say. Mr. Maclean claimed a divergence in the sheet and in the statements made in the box. Mr. Justice, after brushing the point aside, it was a lengthy case, he said and both counsel had done well so far.

On cross examination witness gave his average speed on this occasion at twenty-eight miles an hour. Part of this time, on the cross roads, had been twenty miles an hour. The Fraser home was 200 yards or so from the Fraser gateway on the public road, with a sharp grade between.

Dr. Edward Charles Hart, City Coroner told of making the same journey in a light car. Mine was a chuckle. He left between 8:45 p.m. and 8:50 p.m., being the first to actually leave the house. While he walked to the roadway, 400 yards or so, five or six cars passed him, and he saw their tail lights ahead on the crossroads. He was under way in less than ten minutes after leaving the house, and yet other cars followed.

OF TYPE SIMILAR

Only two cars passed him, witness said, these being two that passed his vehicle at the Saanich Road. He could not say he recognized the occupants, but one car was of a type other like that of Dr. Duck and the other like that of Dr. Boak in type. This was north of the Prairie Hotel that the passing took place. Witness did not have any incident on the road. He looked at his watch some time after he had been home and was going to bed. It was then 10 p.m.

Questioned as to the technical point of the time taken by a human body suddenly killed while in good health to cool, witness said the rate of cooling was normally four degrees per hour in the first three hours and more slowly after that. The human body normal temperature was 98.4 degrees, and twelve or fifteen hours would elapse before a body could be said to be either "cold" or "stone cold." The extremities such as the hands would cool more rapidly, and the trunk was the place to take the temperature. The wrists might remain hot for fifteen minutes, but that was merely guess work, he said.

Witness, cross examined further, said he passed two cars and was passed by two. These included a Ford car and a small two seater. There were some thirty cars in the doctors' party, and the two that passed him, and which he took to be the Duck and Boak car, came from the same direction. He was walking by some distance.

ALMOST SIDE BY SIDE

Mrs. W. B. Peare, of Hamsterley Lakeside, stated she was standing in the doorway watching for the bus to arrive

on the night in question when she saw two cars go past. They were traveling very fast towards the city, and were almost side by side. This would be about 9:15 p.m. or somewhere around that time.

Miss Nancy Bereman stated that she had been at the Hamsterley Lakeside on the night in question. Shortly after 9:15 p.m. she saw two cars racing by going at a terrific speed towards the city.

Mr. Arthur Hanson, a chauffeur engaged in the city, stated that he too had been at the Hamsterley Lakeside that night. Between 9 p.m. and 9:15 p.m. he saw two cars pass as if from the direction of Sidney. One was an Oldsmobile and the other a McLaughlin. Witness, who said he had the habit of taking car numbers, said the number of one was 432, and that of the other he thought was 4172, but had since found out it was incorrect. The cars were traveling at between twenty-five and thirty miles an hour, to his mind.

The Court—Tell us why you took those numbers, it was an unusual thing to do.

Witness replied that such was his habit. He saw the number "632" plainly enough in the front light of the Duck car. The other number he took from the rear and was not sure of.

Mr. Maclean, rising to his feet, said he was prepared to prove that witness' story was impossible as Dr. Duck had no rear light on his car that night. Witness repeated that he had taken the number of the Duck car by its own headlights, in front. The court rose at this point to sit again at 10 a.m. to-day.

EXPECTS HOLLAND WILL SEND MANY EMIGRANTS HERE

Vice-President of C.N.R. Impressed With Chances of Gaining Settlers

Unemployment Near 1,500,000 Mark in Britain He Says on Return to Canada

Montreal, Que., Sept. 30.—"I am more than ever convinced that Canada offers finer prospects than any other country in the world for industrious and thrifty people who are looking for a place to establish homes and make a living." These were the words of W. D. Robb, vice-president of the Canadian National Railways, when he arrived from England and Scotland, Belgium, Holland and parts of France, where he has been reviewing the possibilities of obtaining settlers. POTENTIAL IMMIGRANTS

Mr. Robb is firmly of the opinion that the North of England and Scotland, especially Scotland, have a large number of potential immigrants of the right type for Canada. There has been no real diminution in the number of unemployed, and it is in the northern cities, especially where unemployment is most rife. Estimates show that the number of unemployed is still uncomfortably near the one and a half million mark, and that two or three days before Mr. Robb sailed, Haig made an appeal on behalf of 800,000 unemployed ex-soldiers. These were men, the Earl said, who wanted work, and he said it is the men who want work that Canada is looking for.

Canada offers the natural solution, therefore, to the problem facing literally thousands of men having the energy and intelligence to succeed as settlers on our broad agricultural lands.

HOLLAND A FIELD

Holland, Mr. Robb believes, offers another good field. While there he visited the emigration office of the Dutch Government, he inspected the farmers' markets, went into Dutch farm homes. Farm lands in Holland are sub-divided to the limit, and the surplus farm population has no alternative but to drift into the cities, where there is great unemployment. So impressed was Mr. Robb with the possibilities of gaining settlers of the most desirable type, that the Canadian National Railways is opening a branch office of colonization and development in Rotterdam. The position of Belgium, Mr. Robb declared, is altogether different. There is little unemployment in industrial circles, and conditions are generally satisfactory. France actually needs immigration, not emigration. She is short of man power and on this account will not permit emigration propaganda. Mr. Robb, although having only a few weeks at his disposal, has thoroughly covered the territory in which the Department of Colonization and Development is most interested, and is satisfied that in the countries named, with the exception of France and Belgium, there is a large number of people eminently suitable and available for settlement on the land in Canada.

SEES NO EARLY ELECTION IN GREAT BRITAIN

Toronto, Sept. 30.—The prediction that there would be no general election in Great Britain until the introduction of the 1925 budget was made by A. W. Haycock, Canadian-born British M.P. for Salford, in an address here last night. Mr. Haycock is visiting Canada.

Mr. Haycock's address which was given at the inaugural meeting of the Labor Forum, was mainly an eulogy of the MacDonald Government which he contended had accomplished more for the masses of the common people during its short regime than had been done by Liberals and Conservatives in many decades. Premier MacDonald, he said, was desirous of preventing another war, and was striving to bring about peace and security for all Europe. The Liberal Party, and particularly

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Mr. Lloyd George, was pro-German and anti-French, while the Conservative was pro-French and anti-German, consequently they were unable to restore harmony among the nations of Europe.

CAN TAKE DENTAL COURSES AT TORONTO

Vancouver, Sept. 30.—Pre-dental students at the University of B.C. will have no trouble entering the dental courses at Toronto, it was announced Monday by Registrar Stanley W. Mathews, who stated that the students taking the first year work at the U.B.C. will be granted a full year's standing at the Royal College of Dental Surgeons. There has been considerable difficulty in the past for students taking pre-dental work here to arrange subjects that have proven satisfactory to the medical colleges. Mr. Mathews stated that he has received a letter which states what courses are necessary at the Royal College.

FIREMEN ARRESTED ON ARSON CHARGES

Toronto, Sept. 30.—Alexander Moore, a lieutenant of the Kennedy Heights, a Toronto suburb, volunteer fire brigade; Robert Warmington, a member of the brigade; and Charles McGlade, a former member, were arrested Saturday on charges of arson and conspiring to burn.

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THE BOUNDARY BILL

IRISH EYES ARE TURNED to the proceedings in the British House of Commons to-day as they have not been turned since the Mother of Parliaments ratified the treaty which ended ages of strife between two parts of the United Kingdom.

Practically the whole of political Britain and the people in general were behind the Treaty; they were glad that a way had been discovered to settle a problem which had baffled the statesmen of centuries.

Extremes Ulsterites in England as well as in Ireland—by whom, by the way, all three English parties refused to be hustled in 1921 and 1922—are asking their leaders to grasp at a technical chance of going back on their words.

The clause was an attempt to provide the fairest possible machinery for marking out a just border-line between Ulster and the Free State. The attempt has now been found technically defective; and the machinery can be thrown out of gear by either Ulster or the Free State.

HELP THE MEMORIAL FUND

SOMEBODY HAS GONE to the expense of printing and circulating a handbill which asks the people of this community whether they are satisfied with the manner in which the fund is being raised for the local war memorial.

It should not be necessary to warn anybody against such a foolish and misleading form of propaganda. The average individual is fully aware, and no doubt feels ashamed of it, that a memorial should have been erected years ago.

It took nearly four years to raise a few hundreds of dollars to furnish a memorial to the men who died in South Africa. The people of this city should not allow this unfortunate piece of history to repeat itself merely to satisfy a few objectors.

WILL TAKE HIS SEAT

MR. FRANK A. BROWNE

Burnaby's member-elect in the Legislature, has informed the Municipal Council of that riding that he proposes to attend the session of the House towards the end of October. His communication was filed and the Municipal Treasurer has been instructed to call for applications for his position.

Mr. Browne is Burnaby's municipal accountant. He was faced with the ultimatum that he could either hold his job by resigning his seat in the Legislature, or obey the obvious wishes of a majority of the electorate in that constituency and end his services to the Council.

The choice which Mr. Browne has made is undoubtedly a courageous one. He has decided to serve in the wider field of public duty at the expense of his weekly pay cheque. We shall hazard the guess that those members of the Municipal Council who seek civic honors at the next election will discover what the voters think of their action towards Mr. Browne.

TOO MUCH ZEAL

ONLY IN CASES OF EXTREME emergency should Government officials resort to the use of firearms. Mere suspicion that a boat is engaged in the bootlegging business is nothing like enough reason why it should be plugged with bullets and its occupants exposed to the danger of serious injury.

It would be well if the Department were to advise its officers to keep their heads under all circumstances and refrain from using extreme measures without more than ordinary cause. Mistakes are easily made; but common sense and average intelligence should prevent the risk of their being fatal ones.

CO-OPERATION NEEDED

SUCH UNEMPLOYMENT as may develop locally during the Winter months can be made less serious if the people of this community will co-operate with the official employment service. It should be assumed by every household and businessman that he has a right to call upon the distributing agency for temporary help and expect to have his wants satisfied if idle hands are waiting.

Not all those who register as unemployed will be able to take the first job that offers. Physical limitations have to be considered. As a general sense, however, the man who is capable of doing an ordinary day's work will only have himself to blame if he stands on ceremony and bars a short way to his next meal by personal prejudices or inclinations.

No doubt many people in Great Britain to-day are thinking that Ireland is once more a question.

The other day a French aeroplane, carrying ten passengers and all their baggage, flew from Paris to London in 110 minutes—nearly 140 miles per hour. The world is surely moving.

The Kamloops Sentinel produces ancient history from its files and records a shooting trip which Mr. W. J. Bowser made on September 21, thirty years ago. That was before he entered the political field; having now retired from it he is free to take another shooting trip to that pleasant section of the Interior.

CANDID ADVICE FROM A FRIEND

From The Kingston Standard: "The Montreal 'New Talker' may not know it, but the fact remains that they are beaten before they start."

NOT FOR TALKING PURPOSES

From The Vancouver Province: "The Prince of Wales is said to wear at least ten different styles of hats. Unlike many less distinguished men he does not talk through any of them."

VALUE OF EXHIBITIONS

From The Halifax Chronicle: "It is estimated that American, Canadian and other tourists have spent seven million dollars a day in London during the Wembley Exhibition, testifying that advertising pays."

BEGIN THE DAY WITH A SONG

Begin the day with a song, Lash your woes and tears, While your gladness notes prolong, You conquer all your fears.

IF THE DAY BE DULL AND DARK

And clouds obscure the sun, Be happy, sing with the lark, Until your task is done.

BEGIN THE DAY WITH A SMILE

Make light the heavy load, So shorter the oncoming mile, Call it the laughter road.

THESE ARE LOTS OF THINGS TO BE DONE

No time for turning mad, Be sane and happy, my son, And sing your loudest, lad.

Begin the day with a cheer, And when it starts to rain, Forget it and about here, Here, Old Sol, will shine again.

—James M. Macgregor, the Glen Warbler.

DR. FRANK CRANE

ON "CREMATION"

AGAINST the custom of cremating the human body after death the prejudice seems to be lessening.

A conference on the subject was held by a distinguished group of scientists, religionists and other workers of life, recently in England.

Bishop Gore spoke in favor of cremation and his remarks were interesting not only because of their intrinsic force, but because of his position as a prelate in the Anglican Church.

According to him the only really logical contention against cremation was that it destroyed means of ascertaining whether a person had died by poisoning. From a sanitary and utilitarian point of view the advantages of cremation are so obvious that the strongest position against it is that of sentiment. The Catholic Church carefully excludes theological grounds from those upon which it is prohibited. The chief motive is a reverence for immemorial custom.

The Christian idea of the resurrection of the body does not in any way mean the preservation or reconstruction of the material particles of the present body, although this idea is implied in the phraseology of the Nicene Creed.

The movement in favor of cremation is a part of the movement of sanitation and science against sentiment. Sentiment always lags in connection with the dead and it is very difficult to resist, yet the problem of disposing of dead bodies in large states is constantly growing more acute.

Those in favor of cremation depend upon logic, while those opposed to it are governed by sentimental reasons.

The conflict between logic and sentiment is universal and covers every phase of human progress. It takes time to accomplish any real advance in the world, and it is especially when opposition to it is entrenched in the feelings.

As far as the resurrection of the body is concerned it would be as well to remember that the particles from the air, or from whatever place they have been scattered, as it would from the ground. Besides this, the fact that the particles of matter from the dead body go, in time, to the construction of new bodies renders a literal adherence to a bodily resurrection very difficult.

Just what the resurrection body will be is not known. If it will be some sort of clothing for the human soul, but the matter had probably best be left where the Scriptures put it, which was that "There is a spiritual body and there is a natural body."

There can be no doubt, however, that cremation is the most sanitary and scientific method of disposing of human remains.

KNOW YOUR COUNTRY

"KIWANIS"

Q.—What is "Kiwaniis"? A.—"Kiwaniis" is the name of a service organization of over 700 clubs in Canada and the United States, with 70,000 members. One of its chief objects is to promote the best interests of the community in which it exists, and also to promote international good-will.

RUSH-BAGOT TREATY

Q.—What was the Rush-Bagot Treaty? A.—The Rush-Bagot Treaty was so called, because it was executed by Charles Bagot, representing the British Government, and Richard Rush, the United States. President James Monroe signed it, and John Quincy Adams as the U.S. Secretary of State. It was signed April 28, 1818, and called for the limitation of armaments in the form of naval forces on the Great Lakes.

WORDS OF WISE MEN

Don't be content by taking things as they come. Go after them. Why some people don't get on is because they are always falling off in application.

He that raises false hopes to serve a present purpose, only makes a way for disappointment and discontent.

To be prejudiced is always to be weak. Men seldom give pleasure where they are not pleased themselves.

WHO'S WHO IN HISTORY TO-DAY

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

SAINT JEROME

A father of the Latin Church, died at Bethlehem on Sept. 30, 420. During a journey through the Orient he suffered a severe illness, and on his recovery devoted himself to an ecclesiastical life. He became secretary to Pope Damasus, after whose death he entered a monastery at Bethlehem. He published a Latin version of the Bible, known as the Vulgate.

HERNANDO DE ALARCON

Spanish navigator, discovered and ascended the Colorado River on Sept. 30, 1540. Previously he had penetrated the Gulf of California, thus proving that California was not an island.

SIR FULKE GREVILLE

First Lord Brooke, English poet and statesman, died on Sept. 30, 1628. After studying at Cambridge, he became a favorite of Queen Elizabeth and an intimate friend of Sir Philip Sidney. He served as secretary for Wales, Treasurer of the Navy, and Chancellor of the Exchequer.

THOMAS PERCY

English bishop, best known as the author of "Percy's Reliques of Ancient English Poetry," died on Sept. 30, 1831. After his graduation from Oxford he became chaplain to George III, and later was appointed Bishop of Dromore, Ireland.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the editor and printed in this column are those of the writer. The editor reserves the right to shorten or to omit any article, and to return any article to the writer if it is not returned to the editor.

THE MEMORIAL

To the Editor:—There is at 419 Port Street a room that has been opened for the purpose of receiving contributions towards a war memorial to be erected in Victoria in honor of the memory of those who made the extreme sacrifices during the Great War.

As I understand it, this is a public memorial to which all citizens, one feels sure, would be proud to subscribe. The subscription list was opened by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, who gave a donation towards the memorial and thus made it possible for the committee in charge to commence right away with placing their orders—it seems a pity, and a small thing, to quibble about what particular part of the memorial His Honor's generous gift makes it possible to give to immediately—his gift is in memory of those who died, and in the spirit in which it is given so is it a part of the whole. If my understanding of the figure alone, but to the memorial; so the contributors do not give to the base alone, but to the memorial.

I only write this because there seems to be a misconception in some quarters and when I called at the above room this morning I was surprised indeed to find that although it was fine and of the morning of fifteen people had been ahead of me. Victoria, this is your memorial to those who did not return—and no one can take this opportunity away from you—and no one can give it to you again.

M. A. W. Victoria, B.C., September 29, 1924.

PRICE IN ROLE OF REAL FARM LABORER

Seizes a Fork and Works on Haystack Until Dinner Gong Sounds

Calgary, Sept. 30.—The Prince of Wales is thoroughly enjoying his "rest." He rode the range before breakfast on Saturday, stacked hay until noon, shot ducks and pheasants on property owned by one of his neighbors during the afternoon and then topped off with another horse back ride in the evening. Sunday morning, he was up with the sun. Accompanied by members of his staff, he rode the range in the morning and then shortly before noon returned in time to welcome his dinner guests, Mayor G. H. Webster of Calgary, C. K. Howard of the passenger department of the Canadian National Railway, W. S. Thompson, publicity department, C.N.R., and Mrs. and Miss Helen Carle. The party then spent the remainder of the day walking along the river bank, enjoying a fine "constitutional."

REAL LABOR

The heir to the throne received his first taste of real farm labor on Saturday morning. He and his party arrived at the ranch just when the hands were in the middle of haying. After breakfast on Sunday, the Prince seized a fork, and laid a foundation for a stack of hay which sprung up like a mushroom under the combined attacks of the Prince and his staff, assisted by the ranch hands. The sun shone down warmly and before an hour had elapsed, the little stream of perspiration began pouring down the Prince's forehead and neck. He seemed to have enjoyed it, however, for he stuck at his task until the dinner bell went at noon.

FAITH IN MINISTRY

Melbourne, Sept. 30 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuter).—The Central Council of the Victorian Farmers' Union adopted a resolution Saturday affirming its faith in the composite Federal Ministry.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Prepared by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 30.—5 a.m.—The barometer, maximum yesterday, 30.5; minimum, 29.5; wind, 5 miles N.; rain, .05; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.74; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 54; wind, 8 miles S.E.; rain, .28; weather, raining.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.66; temperature, maximum yesterday, 74; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.59; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 38; wind, 10 miles S.W.; rain, .10; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.42; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 40; wind, 10 miles S.; rain, .14; weather, raining.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.55; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 38; wind, 12 miles S.E.; rain, .79; weather, raining.

Tatsoob—Barometer, 29.64; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 32; wind, 38 miles S.; rain, .08; weather, raining.

Fortland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.55; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 55; wind, 5 miles S.; rain, .08; weather, raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.81; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 54; wind, 10 miles S.E.; rain, .28; weather, raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.05; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, fair.

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EXPERT THIEVES GET LITTLE FOR TROUBLE

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Toronto, Sept. 30.—Thieves with an apparently expert working knowledge of vault combinations entered the office buildings of the Dominion Bank, King and Yonge Streets, the Royal Bank, King and Yonge Streets, and Excelsior Life Building, Adelaide and Victoria Streets, over the weekend, opened two storage vaults, smashed the combinations of two safes and got less than \$300 for their trouble.

The puzzling thing is that they were able to enter such large buildings and make their way to different offices and work un molested. In one instance the vault was in the open corridor.

Vaults were opened in the offices occupied by the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company, the Union Lumber Company, Featherstonhaugh & Co., and the British-American Oil Company.

The buildings entered are among the highest in the city.

FIFTEEN IN HAMILTON TO FACE CHARGE OF EVADING TAXES

Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 30.—The cases of the fifteen citizens who are accused of conspiring to defraud the city of upward of \$3,000 tax monies through the 60-50, split with a tax office official and two others were adjourned for eight days by Magistrate Jells to-day at the request of the crown. The accused were allowed out on their own recognizance. It is understood that the defence will be that they believed that they were approached by the tax office officials who offered a rebate for payment in full and that they had acted in good faith.

EVERY citizen of British Columbia, though he may not realize the fact, is a partner in the timber-holding business of the province.

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The partner of the public is the investor who, relying on fair and equitable treatment, has risked millions upon millions of dollars in the purchase of standing timber in British Columbia.

The value of the public's equity in the province's forests is very clearly shown indeed by the fact that although it put no actual cash into the concern it netted three and a half million dollars income from forest revenue last year.

This amount was collected by the Government and applied to public works, education and other expenditures.

The value of the standing timber to both partners lies in the possibilities it possesses of conversion into merchantable products.

If the lumber industry of British Columbia were taxed out of business the investor would lose his money and the public would lose their revenue.

The public of British Columbia would then be left with a fine scenic stand of timber which would cost them a vast amount of money to protect but would not yield a cent in return.

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BRITISH-TRADE'S HURT BY STRIKES

All Parties Look For Permanent Method of Settling Wage Disputes

Thirty-six Million Working Days Were Lost in Last Five Years

London, Sept. 30 (Canadian Press cable).—Signs are accumulating that all parties in the industrial world are realizing the absolute necessity of discovering some permanent method of settling wage disputes without resort to strikes if British trade is not to suffer almost complete submergence.

Lloyd George declares that 36,000,000 working days were lost through strikes in the last five years. The recent plea by Sir Robert Hadfield, perhaps the greatest living British steel master, for a more reasonable method than the strike weapon, has aroused keen interest.

COURTS OF INQUIRY

Tom Shaw, Minister of Labor, in the foreword of a Labor pamphlet just published, announces his determination to establish courts of inquiry into all cases where disputes are likely to inconvenience the public. Mr. Shaw accuses the many strikes to the unduly prolonged nature of negotiation intended to avert stoppage of work but which has rendered workman distrustful and resentful.

"There is no question," says the Minister, "that arbitration is becoming more and more practicable as a method of settling disputes. For many years it was difficult to convince the working men that arbitrators held the balance even. They suspected the arbitrators already looking at things always from the employers' viewpoint. Gradually, however, arbitrators have been found whose good faith has been beyond dispute. The probability is that arbitration will make more rapid strides in the immediate future."

NEW HIGH RECORD AT B.C. UNIVERSITY

Vancouver, Sept. 30.—A new high record for attendance at the University of British Columbia has been set, according to official figures released Monday night by Stanley W. Mathews, registrar, who announced that there are at present 1,408 students registered. It is expected that almost fifty will be added to this number before October 15, which is the last day for registration for graduate students who are proceeding to their masters' degrees.

POPE SEES JACKIE COOGAN

Rome, Sept. 30.—The Pope to-day granted an audience to Jackie Coogan, the American child movie-star, who is visiting Europe. The Pontiff was highly amused, especially when the youngster, admiring the splendor of the Vatican, suggested that the apostolic palace and St. Peter's Square would make a fine setting for a movie.

After three days of sightseeing the boy actor will be on his way to Naples and then to the Orient.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Principal A. B. McNeill, of the North Ward School, and Mrs. McNeill last evening entertained the teachers of the North Ward and Hillside Avenue schools at their home, Spring Ridge.

A board of trade for the Yukon has been established in Dawson, according to passengers on the steamer Alpha, which berthed to-day.

An excursion to the Mount Sicker mining properties is projected to take place within the next week or ten days, the object being to furnish Victorians an opportunity of realizing the vast mineral deposits of the camp and the work already done.

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Back Bacon, 2 to 3 lbs., per lb. 30¢ Smoked Cottage Roll, per lb. 25¢ B.C. Fresh Eggs, Extras, per doz. 55¢ B.C. Fresh Eggs, Firsts, per doz. 53¢

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AT THE THEATRES

MARJORIE DAW'S BOB HAIR TO BE SEEN IN CAPITOL PICTURE

Marjorie Daw's bobbed hair will be seen for the first time here when "Revelation," Metro's big all-star special, showing at the Capitol Theatre. She plays the part of Miss Drevourt, a Parisian artist's model who represents the last word in modern fashion.

More than a year ago, Miss Daw decided to part with a major portion of her long blonde tresses. Since the momentous deed was done, however, Miss Daw has had to wear a wig in every picture in which she has played, because she was appearing as country girls who simply had to have long hair.

Marjorie Daw was born in Colorado Springs, Colorado. She spent a portion of her childhood in New York, after which she moved to Los Angeles. While attending the Westlake School of Girls she became interested in motion pictures. Through the aid of a family friend she and her young brother obtained an entrance to studio work.

As a child actress appearing in small parts, Miss Daw attracted the attention of Geraldine Farrar, the noted opera singer, who was then making her screen debut in "Joan the Woman." Through Miss Farrar's influence, the little girl was cast for a small part in this production.

At the completion of this picture, Miss Farrar continued her interest in Miss Daw which resulted in her being cast for parts in other Lasky-made productions. Her interpretation of Betty Warren in Cecil B. De Mille's "The Warrens of Virginia," her first important role, induced Lasky to put her under a two year contract.

Then she appeared in five pictures opposite Douglas Fairbanks, namely

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AT THE THEATRES

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Columbia—"The Storm Daughter" Capitol—"Revelation."

"A Modern Musketeer." "He Comes up Smiling." "Ray, Young Fellow, 'His Majesty, the American" and "A Knickerbocker Buckaroo."

Some of her more recent portrayals are in "Rupert of Hentzau," "Call of the Canyon," "Going Up" and "The Barefoot Boy."

"Revelation" is a Metro picture based on Mabel Wagner's "The Resurrection of a Thousand Years," adapted and directed by George D. Baker.

TOM SANTSCHI PLAYS OPPOSITE PRISCILLA DEAN

Tom Santschi has the male lead opposite Priscilla Dean at the Columbia Theatre these days.

"The Storm Daughter." He is a hard headed windjammer skipper who slugs men at the slightest provocation, and detests women with a viciousness. While playing this role, which called for a whiskered face, he grew a crop which would have done credit to a pirate.

FAMOUS PRODUCER EXPLAINS TERM IN "FEET OF CLAY"

What is "hokum?" remarks Cecil B. De Mille.

"I would really like to know. For years I have read diatribes against 'hokum' as something a photoplay should have—and as yet none of these who stily use the term offered any sort of a definition.

I feel that a little thoughtful investigation would rid us of 'Hokum' as a word of reproach, misapplied by individuals who are ignorant of its true meaning.

If I were one of the play-going public, a theatre-owner would need only display one sign to get my money. The sign would be: "This play is full of hokum."

The greatest advertising is by word of mouth. The most successful films have gained their attendance records because thousands who, caught by some bit of "hokum," some homely reflection of life which "hit home," recommended the play to their friends.

To me, "hokum" is the key which unlocks the great heart of humanity. "Hokum" presents quickly recognized symbols of the reaction of men and women to various emotional crises. "Hokum," readily understood, a short-cut to the heart, is the great central thing which sells motion pictures.

I forbid that we ever grow so sophisticated that "hokum" loses its hold upon us! "Hokum" is sincere, trusting and optimistic. "Hokum" is not cynical. "Hokum" stands guard against those of "advanced thought" who would warn up against love, tears, laughter and loyalty.

I have been accused of putting "hokum" into my pictures. I admit it, and I am proud of it. It am also very proud of the fact that my pictures will mean something to the public, whereas cynical, hokum-depressing directors who started with me twelve years ago have long since failed and been forced out of the business.

There is hokum in such of my pictures as "The Ten Commandments," "Triumph and "Feet of Clay." And I hope that in the future my writers may always provide me with this invaluable ingredient.

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Specially Selected Values For Wednesday Morning Shoppers

Special Offerings From the Staple Department

Fully Bleached English Sheetings Sturdy English Sheetings at a low price. We can recommend these for hard wear and the laundering qualities are all that can be desired.

72-inch. Per yard.....65¢
81-inch. Per yard.....75¢

Colored Turkish Towels

Ideal Turkish Towels for general use. Splendid wearing and absorbent quality. Cream ground with red stripe; size 24x48. Price.....65¢

Striped Flannellettes

Striped Flannellettes of closely woven texture and warm nappy surface. A large choice of stripes in excellent color combinations; 34 inches wide. Per yard.....25¢

Sylvian Crepes

Suitable for dresses, lingerie and blouses. Shown in all the wanted colors including pink, mauve, ivory, grey, sky and rose; 26 inches wide. Per yard.....1.25

Rich Paillette Silks

Shimmering silks for afternoon and evening wear. In a large range of two-tone effects and self shadings; 36 inches wide. Per yard.....1.79

Women's Felt Hats

Felt Hats in the cloche shape and rolling brim style, trimmed with grosgrain ribbon. Shown in all the fashionable shades of the season. Excellent value at.....2.75

Half-day Offerings in Hardware

English Fire Shovels

Made of heavy iron in black Japan, two sizes. Prices, 1.95 and.....2.50

Tungsten Lamps

40 and 60-watt Tungsten Lamps at, each.....1.00

Glass Wash Boards

Corrugated Wash Boards at, each.....85¢

Zinc Wash Boards

Price.....65¢

English Tea Kettles

1 1/2-pint size. Each.....29¢

China Cups and Saucers at 25c Each

Fine China Decorated Cups and Saucers, low and tall shape cups; regular 40c. Special at, each.....25¢

Bulb Bowls 69c

9-inch Bulb Bowls in black and green colorings, with gold trimmings, complete with flower block. Special at, each.....69¢

Purity Groceries

Rose Brand Evaporated Appriots, choice quality and new season's pack, per lb.....25¢

California Seedless Raisins in bulk, new shipment, 2 lbs. for.....25¢

Three Crown Valencia Almonds, per lb.....50¢

Finest Quality White Walnut Meats, pieces, per lb.....40¢

Dei Monte Brand Sliced Yellow Cling Peaches, in heavy syrup, new season's pack.

No. 2 tin.....27 1/2¢

No. 2 1/2 tin.....35¢

Choice Quality White Kotosashi Beans, 1 1/2 lbs. for.....25¢

Japanese Green Wrinkled Peas, 3 lbs. for.....25¢

New Season's Corn Money, well filled and put up in sanitary cartons, 12-oz. carton.....40¢

Christie's Zephyr Cream Soda Biscuits, per tin.....50¢

—Lower Main Floor

Women's Fur-trimmed Coats, \$16.95

Fashioned from good quality velour cloth in new shades of fawn, cocoa, etc. Large beaverine collars, set-in sleeves with wide cuffs. Straight line models fastening to one side with single button, lined through with shadow stripe satin; \$16.95

Tweed Skirts \$4.50

In a variety of English herringbone and mixed tweeds. Wrap-around styles with one tailored waist; in shades of brown, fawn, grey, blue, henna, etc.; sizes to 30 waist. \$4.50

Women's Moire Underskirts, \$1.69 and \$1.98

Moire Underskirts with knife pleated flounce. Come in rose, brown, green, shot effects and black.

Regular size. Price.....1.69

Outsize. Price.....1.98

—Second Floor

5 Only aStin Underskirts To Clear at \$4.98 Each

Heavy quality Satin Underskirts, two French blue, two flesh and one henna; regular \$7.95. Sale Price.....\$4.98

5 Only Satin Underskirts To Clear at \$5.98 Each

Outside Satin Underskirts, one peacock, one French, blue, two flesh and one navy; regular \$9.50. Sale Price.....\$5.98

Two Excellent Values in Women's Hose

Fine Cashmere Wool Hose Perfectly seamless, with elastic ribbed tops and reinforced heels and toes, in colors of meadow lark, camel, sand, and brown; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Special at, per pair.....98c

Pure Thread Silk Hose

With elastic top, high spliced heels and reinforced feet, in colors of honeydew, cork, beige, cruiser, sand, log cabin, black and white. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. \$1.29

Highland Linen Stationery

In boxes containing 24 sheets of notepaper and 24 envelopes, white only. Special at, per box.....50¢

Half-day Specials in Drapery Fabrics

Wool Art Serge English Wool Art Serge in blue, brown and green shades. Suitable for table covers, portiere curtains, etc.; 56 inches wide, 100 yards only. Special at, per yard.....98¢

—Third Floor

Linoleums Laid Free

Make your selection this week. All linoleums selected to-morrow or any time this week will be LAID FREE of charge. In addition to this special offer we extend to you the privileges of our new easy payment plan—10% Cash and the balance in 9 Monthly Payments.

Heavy Printed Linoleum Genuine Scotch Linoleums

2 yards wide. Per square yard.....98¢

2 yards wide. Per square yard.....\$1.10

—Third Floor

Women's Black Kid Boots at \$4.50 a Pair

The good old mother's style of cushion sole Black Kid Lace Boots with flexible leather soles and low rubber tipped heels, comfortable fitting last; sizes 3 to 7. Special at, per pair.....\$4.50

—Main Floor

Special Values in Men's Wear

Cottonade Trousers

Made from good wearing striped cottonade, with five pockets, belt loops, double stitched seams and plain buttons; all sizes. Pair, \$1.95

All-wool Ribbed Socks

SHIPPING OFFICIALS VISIT CITY ON INSPECTION TOUR

White Star Passenger Department Manager Says Trade to Old Country From Canada During This Year Was Surprisingly Good and Sees Big Year Coming; Conditions in Canada Point to Greater and Continued Prosperity, He Says.

L. S. Tobin, manager of the passenger department of the White Star Dominion Lines, with headquarters in Montreal, to gether with Harold Robbins, representative for the same company in Eastern Europe, with headquarters in Liverpool and C. P. Sargent, of the International Mercantile Marine, were visitors to this city this morning looking over the business prospects in general, and paying particular attention to the Christmas passenger trade, of which they expect great things from the West.

"I can see no reason why anyone passing through the great prairie land in western Canada, and seeing the immense stretches of unsurpassed wheat crops and the general atmosphere of growth and prosperity pervading the entire country, could be anything but an optimist," said Mr. Tobin, who is immensely struck with the future prospects and the apparent fine condition of the West as a whole. "It is a shame that there has been so much propaganda put out regarding the failure of the crops on the prairies. These reports are baseless. The prairies yield this year has been anything but poor."

CHRISTMAS TRADE

The visitors to Victoria state that they expect to see a large volume of Christmas passenger trade to the Old Country this year. The good crops are largely responsible for this. Money is not so scarce in Canada now as it was some years previous. In fact the conditions are surprisingly better than they were a year ago.

Trade with Europe has been excellent all through the present year, Mr. Tobin asserted. In this statement he was heartily supported by Mr. Robbins.

"There are few places where one could get a better picture of the Empire so graphically laid out as one could at Wembley," Mr. Tobin went on to say. "This exhibition has been a great drawing card for the tourists from all parts of the world. There was the Olympic game series," he continued, "another factor in attracting visitors from all parts, particularly those from within the Empire."

COLLEGE TOURS

"There has come a new thought in travel, so far as European visitors are concerned," Mr. Tobin said, "and large numbers of people who have never before thought of visiting that land of historic fame and old-time grandeur have now seized upon the opportunity—the college tour."

This year is something which attracts people all over Canada. It was primarily intended for college students, but it is open to everyone. There was only one of these tours last year, but this season, starting on June 6 and continuing to July 4, there will be five big European excursions. The passengers are taken to London, Paris, Ostend, Zebrugge, Brussels, the Hague, Amsterdam, Oxford and various other points of interest.

Passengers travel in third cabin class. The accommodation is excellent. They do not travel de luxe, but enjoy the very finest service, the best food and the most comfortable quarters in hotels and on shipboard. The journey includes motor car tours, railroad rides, visits to famous art galleries, ruins, museums, cathedrals and in short, everything desirable from an educational point of view.

So great a degree of popularity have these tours attained that the five trips this year are expected to be just sufficient to handle the great swarm of college tourists.

STOP OVER ALLOWED

Not only can a passenger of this tour see Europe with the other tourists, but it is possible to remain there for a year, and still retain the return ticket to Canada. This is often done by students, who wish to study in European art, literature or music.

Speaking of British Columbia's present standing from a financial and commercial viewpoint, Mr. Tobin said that this country faced a promising future. That it was one of the great provinces of Canada at the present time, there could be no doubt. The West was rapidly becoming potent in its influence, and in its business advancement.

Mr. Tobin will leave for Montreal shortly. He will visit Victoria again some time next year. Mr. Robbins is returning to Seattle. Mr. Sargent is returning to Seattle.

President Ito of Japanese Shipping Company Resigns

Tokio, Sept. 30.—The dispute between the Nippon Yusen Kaisha (Japanese Mail Steamship Company) and its foreign officials has been settled, the officials withdrawing their resignations. It is understood that Yonejiro Ito, president of the company, whose policy led to the trouble, will resign.

MACHINERY DEPOT HAD BUSY PERIOD

Twenty-two Ships on Marine Ways During August and September

The Victoria Machinery Depot had a period of activity which is exceptionally good for the months of August and September this year, and handled a great number of repairs on various ships from this and other ports.

The following work was done by the Victoria Machinery Depot during August and September: Canadian Pacific Railway Co., Ss. Otter, boiler repairs; Department of Marine and Fisheries, C.G.S. Newington, new propeller; F. Waterhouse & Co., Ss. Westham, boiler repairs; L. B. Noel Tug Chehalis, dock, clean, paint and repairs; Consolidated Whaling Corporation, Ss. Gray, engine repairs; Canadian Pacific Railway Co., Ss. Princess Patricia, dock, clean and paint; Capt. Bruce, tug Red Fir, engine repairs; Bervin, Steamship Company, Ss. Bervin, boiler repairs; Vancouver Island Towing Company, tug Hope, dock, clean and paint, rebuild stern bearing, hull repairs, made and installed new tail shaft; Auxiliary schooner Peaschawa, dock, clean and paint, engine repairs; Pacific Construction Company, dredge Lee, dock, clean and paint; repairs to hull, cast and supplied new capstan; Capt. Berquist, Ss. Famous (Amur) dock for inspection; Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Ss. Charming, dock, clean and paint, renewed damaged propeller blades; B. & K. Milling Company, Ss. Grainger, boiler repairs; Cameron, Lumber Company, Ss. No. 1, dock, clean and paint, renewed guard and caulked bottom; Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Ss. Princess Mary, dock, clean and paint; Department of Naval Service, H.M.C.S. Patricia, dock, clean and paint, boiler and engine repairs, straightened propeller blades; Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Ss. Otter, dock, clean and paint, hull repairs, boiler repairs; Canadian Government Merchant Marine, Ss. Canadian Transporter, dock, clean and paint, chipping rust, straightened frames, drew tail shaft and changed blades, miscellaneous engine repairs.



Sir Henry W. Thornton, K.B.E., chairman and president Canadian National Railways, with officials at inspection of train which carried H.R.H. the Prince of Wales to western Canada. The group consists of: H. H. Melanson, general passenger traffic manager; Colonel Arthur Sullivan, Winnipeg; D. E. Galloway, chief assistant to the president; S. J. Hungerford, operating vice-president; A. J. Hills, assistant to operating vice-president; Sir Henry W. Thornton, chairman and president; J. E. Dalrymple, traffic vice-president; Gerald Reid, legal vice-president; R. C. Vaughan, purchasing vice-president; and Walter Pratt, general manager of sleeping and dining car departments and hotels.

AMERICAN CUTTERS BACK FROM PATROL

Return to Seattle For Winter Rest After Eventful Season

Seattle, Sept. 30.—The cutter Haida of the United States coastguard left Kodiak, Alaska, yesterday for Seattle after a season in the Bering Sea. The cutter Haida in the spring conveyed along the Aleutian Islands and the Komandorski Islands to Asia, three planes of the United States army, two of which completed her Sunday, a circumnavigation of the earth.

Ram Ship Tragedy Reported in East

Fishing Boats Find Derelict and Capsized British Schooner

Boston, Sept. 30.—A tragedy of "Ram Row" was reported here yesterday when the fishing schooners Ingomar and Nathalie Hammond brought word that the British schooner Beryl M. Corkum was sighted, capsized and derelict, off George's Fishing Bank last Friday. She was apparently a victim of recent storms. Whether her crew of six was lost or saved was not disclosed.

Baychimo Arrives At Quarantine For Inspection To-day

Dr. Chester P. Brown stated to The Times this morning that the steamer Baychimo, from Arctic waters, would arrive at the Williams Head station some time this afternoon. He expects that the ship will be detained for some time owing to there having been word received of a case of smallpox aboard. The vessel carries the crew of the ill-fated ship Lady Kinderley, the Hudson's Bay vessel from Vancouver, which was caught in Arctic ice, and which is now thought to be a total loss.

For days these men suffered from the grip of the frozen waters. There was no apparent means of escape. They tried desperately on several occasions, but on each attempt suffered disappointment and returned to their ship. At last, taking their lives in their hands, they made a dash for liberty and with the assistance of Eskimos, were successful in gaining the U.S.S. Boxer, which carried them to safety.

Show Reluctance To Charter Now

Oriental Lumber Strong But Inter-coastal is Softening

San Francisco, Sept. 30.—Still greater firmness in the European grain section, especially for line business, more strength in Oriental lumber, a softening in intercoastal lumber, were the main developments in the Pacific Coast freight and charter market last week.

British Tanker Sank Yesterday

Crew Were Saved by Vessel Which Saw Distress Signals

Savannah, Ga., Sept. 30.—The British freighter Santa Theresa, bound from Cuba port with sugar, probably to a port in the Atlantic, sank ninety miles southeast by south of Tybee Light, according to radio advices received here from the American tanker I. C. White.

Charter Market

San Francisco, Sept. 30.—The Dutch stamship Aalsum has been chartered, barkey, San Francisco to the United Kingdom and continent at private terms, option North Pacific to the United Kingdom and continent, wheat, by Balfour Guthrie & Company, November loading. The Aalsum sailed from Newcastle, England, August 28, and from Balboa September 20.

WANT ACTION TO CLEAR HARBOR OF DANGEROUS BOOMS

Inner Harbor Association Communicates With Minister

Following a meeting of the Inner Harbor Association of Victoria, a letter from that association has been sent to the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, the Hon. P. J. Carlin, in connection with the difficulties encountered in navigating in the harbor because of booms of logs.

The communication is as follows: "I beg to state for your information that the principal trade of the Port of Victoria is the manufacture of lumber and that incident thereto is the towage of very large quantities of logs in booms over the harbor, which are situated and circumscribed waters of the Harbor, as per enclosed map.

THE RESOLUTION

"At a meeting of the Inner Harbor Association, organized some twenty years ago, for the systematic improvement of the Harbor with a view to securing free and safe navigation for all vessels entering the port, general transportation facilities and the trade and industries of the port, the following resolution was passed: That the Minister of Marine and Fisheries do authorize the Harbor Master to select and fix certain positions in the Harbor as per Section 5, where dolphins may be driven, which logs entering the Harbor may be fastened temporarily, in accordance with Section 8, and follow Sections of the Regulations of the Government of Public Harbors in Canada, and to collect such annual fees as may be approved under Section 3, for the use of this money for the formation and maintenance of the anchorage so formed and established.

"The rapidly growing trade of the Port is making the promulgation of this regulation of the traffic of the Harbor of Victoria a matter of urgent necessity, which this association begs to urge on your most favorable consideration."

This was signed by T. C. Sorby, Secretary of the Inner Harbor Association.

EXPRESS COMPANY HAS FINE RECORD

Dominion Express Establishes Unique Claim For Efficiency

Winnipeg, Sept. 30.—Four thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine express parcels delivered safely without a single claim for loss or damage, as against one for which a claim was made in the Dominion Express Company in the whole of Canada for the month of August, 1924.

This statement was made by T. H. McDonnell, vice-president and general manager of the company at a dinner given in the Royal Alexandra Hotel Saturday night, attended by the officers and staff of the Winnipeg headquarters. It was a get-together meeting in which the general officers complimented the staff and the employees for the splendid record now being made in making records that have never been equalled by any other express company on the continent.

Mr. McDonnell stated that for years it had been the aim of many express companies to force the claims for loss and damage down to one in 1,000, the Dominion Express Company had not for many years been higher than one in 2,500 and effect of this splendid record is that the record of one claim for each 5,000 parcels received and delivered had been made. The vice-president and general manager thanked the staff for this splendid showing, and said this record is now the talk of express and other transportation companies the world over.

John Cackhall, manager of the financial department of the company, gave a talk on the various kinds of financial paper issued by the Dominion Express, foreign cheques, foreign postal remittance, Chinese cheques, etc., tracing in an interesting manner, in which remittance so made got to those for whom they are intended in the most remote and unvisited quarters of the globe, not the least of which is the work of the Chinese runners who carry the remittances hundreds of miles inland in China, the simplicity and effectiveness of the company's self-identifying travelers' cheques as a very convenient method of carrying travelers' funds was interestingly outlined.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are notified that the uncharted light mentioned by the Department of Marine at Crofton, B.C. is reported out of order. This will be attended to as soon as possible.

Mariners are warned that owing to the construction of a bridge over the Second Narrows, Vancouver Harbor, and obstructions in the fairway, it is dangerous for vessels to attempt the passage of these Narrows in foggy weather or when the visibility is less than 600 feet.

PUGET SOUND NAVIGATION CO.

Week-end Excursion Fares to PORT ANGELES \$1.00—Round Trip \$1.50—Children \$1.00

Tickets on sale Saturdays and Sundays. Good to return until following Monday.

MONTREAL FEELS NAVY OFFICERS

French Canadians Regard Senior Service as Guarantee of Their Liberty

Montreal, Sept. 30.—French-Canadian regard the "glorious British Navy" as a guarantee of their liberty, knowing full well that the flag which accords them that liberty is protected and maintained by the Empire's senior service, Senator C. P. Beaubien declared last night when the city of Montreal entertained the officers of H.M.S. Calcutta now in port at a dinner and dance.

Lieut.-Commander the Hon. Alexander Ramsay, husband of the Princess Patricia and commander of the cruiser, headed the officers in the absence, through illness, of Admiral Sir James Ferguson, K.C.M.G., vice-admiral in command of the North American and West Indies Squadron. Members of the copular corps, mayors of neighboring municipalities, officers of the Fourth Military District, members of Parliament, members of the Legislature and representatives of the civic administration constituted the gathering.

"We have never forgotten our liberty," said Senator Beaubien, "and that has been allowed us under the British flag. We are permitted to remain French in heart, in tongue, in our laws, and in our mind. That has all come with the British flag, and the British flag has been maintained for years by the glorious British navy."

Commander Ramsay fittingly replied.

SEARCH FOR BODIES ON CANADIAN COAST

No Word of Any of Crew Believed Lost on Freighter Clifton

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 30.—With the recovery of wreckage from the freighter Clifton and sighting of the recovery of the bodies of twenty-eight men, officers and crew of the ill-fated vessel, search is centered on the Canadian shore, where it is believed the bodies, none of which had been recovered early to-day, will be carried.

Reports that wreckage had been found were received last night by General Manager E. Schneider, of the Progress Steamship Company, owners of the Clifton. A forward end of a pilothouse and broken hatch covers picked up Saturday about eight miles off the coast of British Columbia, were parts of the Clifton, Mr. Schneider said.

Other wreckage was sighted by the captain of the steamer Minch, fourteen miles southwest of Thunder Bay and by the tug Falcon, thirty-five miles southeast of Alpena, Mich., they reported.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Cristobal—Sailed Sept. 28: Es. Sagahoc for New York. Auckland—Sailed Sept. 23: Es. Makura for Victoria. Honolulu—Sailed Sept. 27: Es. Aurora for Victoria. New York—Sailed Sept. 25: Motor ship, Missourian for Seattle. Hongkong—Sailed Sept. 27: Es. Kaga Maru for Seattle. London—Arrived Sept. 26: Es. London Shipper from Seattle. Brisbane—Arrived Sept. 26: Es. Tolken from Seattle. Balboa—Arrived Sept. 26: Es. Mississippi from Seattle. Sailed: Es. Commercial Guide for Honolulu.

The complaint of George E. Johnston, M.P.P. of Melfort, Sask., with regard to the taxes on a residence on Dallas Road, which was discussed at length in The Times last week, was before the City Council last evening and referred to the city treasurer and tax collector for report.

Bringing in the Yuletide log was a feature of the Christmas festivities a number of years ago, but the people of those days hadn't the same opportunity of welcoming visitors from across the seas as your friends in the Old Country have now. In connection with the Christmas sailing special trains running on fast schedule to the ship's side. Special cars from the coast to be consolidated in these special trains at Winnipeg. Representatives of the company will travel on these "specials" to see that every need of the passengers is met. Information, reservations, etc., from City Ticket Office, 811 Government Street, telephone 1242.

Pacific Coast Steamship Service

Ss. "PRINCE GEORGE" leaves Vancouver 10.00 p.m. every Monday calling at Powell River, Swanson Bay, Ocean Falls, Prince Rupert and leaves Vancouver noon every Friday for PRINCE RUPERT.

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Regular sailings from Vancouver to East Coast and Alaska. For full particulars apply to GEO. McCREGOR, Agent, Tel. 1202, No. 1 Belmont House.

GOWEN'S LAST DAY

Of Quitting Sale

Positively Closed After 1 P.M. Wed., October 1

SLAUGHTER PRICES FOR WHAT'S LEFT

SUITS	SUITS	SUITS	SUITS
\$7.50	\$10	\$15	\$22

2-piece Summer Suits Values to \$35.00

2 and 3-piece Tweed Suits Values to \$35.00

Tweed and Worsted Suits Values to \$45.00

Fashion Craft 3-piece Suits Values to \$50.00

Sizes 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 or 38 Breast

A Chance of a Lifetime for Those They Fit

ODD LINES OF FURNISHINGS AT A FRACTION OF COST TO CLEAR

NOTE—IMPORTANT

Those owing accounts to F. A. Gowen will kindly pay them into the store not later than Thursday, October 2.

FIXTURES FOR SALE

GOWEN'S, 1107 Government St.

SEATTLE SHIPPING

Seattle, Sept. 30.—Among 300 passengers who arrived here yesterday on the coastwise liner H. F. Alexander was Capt. Robert D. Sill from San Francisco, veteran steamship operator. Capt. Dollar is visiting the Pacific Northwest on an inspection tour.

The steamship Lancaster arrived yesterday with 1,700 tons of Atlantic Coast cargo for local discharge.

The German steamship Sachsen arrived yesterday with 1,000 tons of general cargo, including steel, steel products and pig iron from Germany and Belgium.

Capt. Yaemon Tomioka, who several years ago made a number of voyages to Seattle as master of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Kawata Maru, was a passenger arriving last night on the liner Yokohama Maru. Capt. Tomioka left yesterday for Los Angeles, where he is to take command of the Nippon Yusen freighter Takasaka Maru, now on her way to that port from New York.

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

For Vancouver
Princess Victoria leaves daily at 1:15 p.m.
Princess Adelaide or Princess Mary leaves daily at 11:45 p.m.
From Vancouver
Princess Adelaide or Princess Mary arrive daily at 7 a.m.
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Princess Charlotte leaves daily at 4:30 p.m.
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MOTOR FERRY SERVICES

Sidney to Anacortes
City of Angeles leaves daily at 9 o'clock.

TRANS-PACIFIC MAIL

October, 1924

China and Japan	Empress of Russia—Mails close Oct. 20, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Oct. 26, 11 a.m.	Shanghai Oct. 27, Hongkong Oct. 27, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Oct. 23, 11 a.m.	Shanghai Oct. 28, Hongkong Nov. 3, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 3, 11 a.m.	Shanghai Nov. 7, Hongkong Nov. 10, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 9, 11 a.m.	President Jackson—Mails close Nov. 4, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 16, 11 a.m.	Shanghai Nov. 21, Hongkong Nov. 21, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 21, 11 a.m.	Sonoma—Mails close Oct. 4, 4 p.m.; via San Francisco, due Wellington Oct. 27, 4 p.m.	Wellington—Mails close Oct. 23, 4 p.m.; direct, via Auckland Nov. 16, due Sydney Nov. 15.	Mails close Oct. 25, 4 p.m.; via San Francisco, due Sydney Nov. 1, 4 p.m.	Mails close Nov. 2, 4 p.m.; via San Francisco, due Wellington Nov. 21, due Sydney Nov. 20.
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SAN FRANCISCO SHIPPING

San Francisco, Sept. 30.—The Pacific Mail liner President Wilson is due to sail to-day for the Far East with 750,000 in United States \$20 gold pieces and \$400,000 worth of silver bullion for China.

Inaugurating an eastbound freight service out of Pacific Coast ports to Jacksonville, Fla., the Munson McCormick Line steamer William A. McCormick is scheduled to sail from here to-day with general cargo for Jacksonville and lumber for other Atlantic ports.

The Norwegian tramp steamer Alaska arrived here yesterday on its initial voyage to this port. It came in ballast.

DAMAGE HEAVY IN MARYLAND FLOODS

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 30.—Floods caused damage which may run into six figures, accompanied the storm which drenched Baltimore and neighboring communities to-day and yesterday.

The Severn, Patuxent and other streams overflowed their banks, inundating homes along the river frontage.

In Baltimore Harbor the waves rose to within six inches of Pratt Street level, the highest in years.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENT

Day	Hour	Min.	Sunset	Hour	Min.
13	13	47	6	20	48
14	13	46	6	20	47
15	13	45	6	20	46
16	13	44	6	20	45
17	13	43	6	20	44
18	13	42	6	20	43
19	13	41	6	20	42
20	13	40	6	20	41
21	13	39	6	20	40
22	13	38	6	20	39
23	13	37	6	20	38
24	13	36	6	20	37
25	13	35	6	20	36
26	13	34	6	20	35
27	13	33	6	20	34
28	13	32	6	20	33
29	13	31	6	20	32
30	13	30	6	20	31
1	13	29	6	20	30
2	13	28	6	20	29
3	13	27	6	20	28
4	13	26	6	20	27
5	13	25	6	20	26
6	13	24	6	20	25
7	13	23	6	20	24
8	13	22	6	20	23
9	13	21	6	20	22
10	13	20	6	20	21
11	13	19	6	20	20
12	13	18	6	20	19

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Steamer	Master	Ton.	Agent	From	Due
President Madison	Quinn	—	Admiral Line	Manila	Oct. 1
Empress of Russia	Hosken	—	C.P.R.	Hongkong	Oct. 13
President McKinley	Lustie	—	Admiral Line	Manila	Oct. 13
Makura	Showman	—	C.P.R.	Sydney	Oct. 17

Steamer	Master	Ton.	Agent	For	Sail
Africa Maru	Rithets	—	Yokohama	Oct. 11	
Empress of Canada	Robinson	—	C.P.R.	Hongkong	Oct. 9
Makura	Showman	—	C.P.R.	Sydney	Oct. 23
Empress of Russia	Hosken	—	Rithets	Yokohama	Oct. 24
Arizona Maru	—	—	—	—	—

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS

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TIDE TABLE

September

Date	Time H	Time M	Time F	Time H	Time M	Time F
13	1:52	7:1	6:52	8:11	5:2	7:01
14	2:48	7:1	6:52	8:11	5:2	7:01
15	3:44	7:10	6:41	7:11	4:4	6:0
16	4:39	6:10	5:41	6:11	3:3	5:0
17	5:34	5:10	4:41	5:11	2:3	4:0
18	6:29	4:10	3:41	4:11	1:3	3:0
19	7:24	3:10	2:41	3:11	0:3	2:0
20	8:19	2:10	1:41	2:11	0:3	1:0
21	9:14	1:10	0:41	1:11	0:3	0:0
22	10:09	0:10	0:41	0:11	0:3	0:0
23	11:04	0:10	0:41	0:11	0:3	0:0
24	12:00	0:10	0:41	0:11	0:3	

BASEBALL, BOXING, SPORTING NEWS, SWIMMING, GOLF

Sedate Washington Wid Over Pennant

Thrill of Capital's First Victory in American League Penetrates Even to White House and President Coolidge Sends Congratulations to Stanley Harris; Everyone Talking Baseball in Capital To-day; Will Crown Heroes

Washington, Sept. 30.—Debonair Washington celebrated last night in Main Street fashion its first American League pennant. A driving rain could not dampen the enthusiasm. Water soaked street urchins were no more excited than dignified governmental officials.

A pouring rain throughout the afternoon found the usual crowds in front of the half dozen score boards. Muffled in rain-coats or from under umbrellas the Washington fans, thousands of them, forgot the wet and rooted like college boys.

A wild outburst of cheering and shouting greeted the flash that told of Washington's victory over Boston—and the pennant. Umbrellas were tossed in the air, traffic cops forgot traffic and the White House stopped the wheels of government to send a telegram of congratulations to the Washington team.

Over the city last night the baseball talk was humming. Cigar stores, hotel lobbies, fashionable cabarets, everywhere it was baseball. The sandlot spirit of Main Street held the city.

Washington, excited and happy, gurgled like a two-year-old over his first toy.

Chicago Bumps Off Detroit and Saves A Severe Disgrace

Replay of Sunday's Game Results in Tigers Fooling; Pirates Defeat Chicago

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Chicago beat Detroit in a farcial game yesterday to close the season. The score was 15 to 5 and Detroit players loafed through the game. Manager Cobb was not present here, some home fans were not present here and the fifth will also be taken here and the sixth will be in Washington. The sixth for the seventh and final vote, unless a tie results, will be decided by the much-sought-after Delly, the little god of chance.

New York, Sept. 30.—The King is dead, and the king-makers are at work behind the scenes, preparing for the world's series' convention, which will name his successor.

John McGraw will nominate the Giants' candidate of the National League, Stanley Harris, newcomer in diamond politics, will direct the campaign for the American aspirant, Washington.

Delays of the diamond congress will begin in the Capital City on Saturday, continue through Sunday, after which the struggle will be continued in New York. If more than four ballots are necessary, the fifth will also be taken here and the sixth will be in Washington. The sixth for the seventh and final vote, unless a tie results, will be decided by the much-sought-after Delly, the little god of chance.

New York, Sept. 30.—The New York Giants have the edge on their world series rivals, the Washington Senators, when it comes to offensive and defensive ability of their respective infields, a comparison of the two clubs, based on the latest averages shows.

These figures are based on the first line troops of the Giants before several major casualties had occurred in the closing stages of their campaign but they are conclusive. They show that the Kelly-Frisch-Jackson-Groh combination of the National League champions has a combined fielding average of .8725 as compared with .56925 for the Judge-Harris-Peckinbaugh-Bluse quartette. At the bat the Giants' four have an even more decisive margin, showing .399 to .287 for the Senators.

Kelly and Judge are nearly on a par, although the former is a harder hitter; Frisch excels Harris both at bat and in the field; Peckinbaugh has the edge on Jackson in experience only, while Groh is much abler than Bluse.

Calculations, however, may be upset by the inability of the Giants to bat in the field; Peckinbaugh and Groh is on the doubtful list. In addition, McGraw has indicated he may shift Kelly, who has filled in at first base, to center field and play Terry at first. Lindstrom, eighteen-year-old schoolboy, is first string substitute for Groh. Thus, with Terry at first, Kelly or Frisch and second Jackson at short and Lindstrom on third, the Giants would not look so formidable as the figures show.

Browns Only Orphans St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 30.—While fans generally expressed satisfaction to-day over Washington's victory in the race for the 1924 pennant, it was generally mentioned that the Browns now are the only team in the American League that have not won a pennant.

Washington's victory served to recall the days of 1922 when "the Browns almost won a pennant." They lost to the Yankees by a margin of one game.

How They Stand PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, Pct. San Francisco 98 82 54.4, Seattle 85 84 53.1, Oakland 84 87 51.9, Los Angeles 82 88 48.3, Vernon 88 93 48.9, Portland 84 95 46.9, Sacramento 78 101 43.6

AMERICAN LEAGUE Postponed games—New York at Philadelphia, rain. Only three games.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Postponed games—Philadelphia at New York, rain. Only two games.

Colwood Ladies Are Playing For Laurels The first round of the ladies' championship competition of the Colwood Golf and Country Club was played yesterday, with the following results:

Giants Have Edge On Washington In Infield Ability BRINGS WASHINGTON THROUGH

New York Infielders Hit Harder and Field Better Than Senators

If Giants Have to Use Make-shift Lineup Their Ability Will be Lessened



STANLEY HARRIS

Baseball is crammed full of uncertainties. Three years ago Stanley Harris was merely the second baseman of the Washington Nationals. "Donie" Bush played utility roles for the same team.

Managerial aspirations were far removed from both. Harris yearned for the day when he would supplant Eddie Collins as premier second baseman of the American League. Bush was content to stick around through his ability to fill in at third, short or second.

Clyde Milan, outfielder of the Washington club, managed the team that year. He met with indifferent success and the close of the season was let out. He had succeeded George McBride, who for years starred at shortstop for the Nationals.

Whom would Owner Clark Griffith appoint to supplant Milan? During the Winter the air was filled with rumors. Griffith showed his opponent for the first fall in forty-six minutes fifteen seconds after Gohar had had him on the defensive for most of the way. The second fall came very quickly in the first when the champion got his deadly headlock working and slowly but surely pushed his worthy opponent to the mat after six-and-a-half minutes of action.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL London, Sept. 30 (Canadian Press cable)—Football games played yesterday resulted as follows:

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION Burnley 1, Sunderland 2.

THIRD DIVISION Southern Section Merthyr Newport, County 0.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION Aberdeen 3, Queen's Park 1.

Celtic 3, Cowden 1. Rangers 4, Hearts 1. Third Lanark 1, Partick Thistles 2.

Gloucester 3, Cinderford 7. Llanelli 5, Trarherb 0. Aberllynny 3, Bridgend 6. Watlington 28, Millhead High School 2.

PEACE FLAG WINS Puyallup, Sept. 30.—Ruth Parton's smart filly, Peace Flag, won the feature race of the opening day's card at the Western Washington fair here when she led the field throughout the mile route to win handily from Princess Red Bird.

MATCHED FOR FIGHT Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 30.—Pete Sacramento, Filipino featherweight star, and Jessy Sangster, Milwaukeean, were matched yesterday to box ten rounds before the Cream City A. C. here Monday, October 6. The weight will be 124 pounds at 8 o'clock.

WINS ON POINTS Buffalo, N.Y., Sept. 30.—Frankie Schell, Buffalo, welterweight, out-pointed Augie Ratner of New York in a six-round bout here last night.

Amateur Baseball Makes Barrels of Money This Year

B.C. Amateur Baseball League Made so Much Money it Gave Presents Away

Victoria League Will Share in Profits; Courtenay Series a Loss

Vancouver, Sept. 30.—Celebrating the most successful season in the record of amateur baseball in the Province, both in player and financial standpoint, officials of the British Columbia Amateur Baseball Association have wound up activities for the year.

PLENTY OF MONEY The presentation is to be made at a baseball function to be held early next month. The official scores were given an extra contribution of \$100 each, while it was also decided to secure prizes for the touring teams of last year and the Hammond Cedars of this year, respective champions of the past two years.

TO PROMOTE GAME The officials feel so optimistic over the returns that part of the funds may be turned over next year to promote baseball among the Sunday schools or among the youngsters on the corner.

HARRIS'S SHOWING GREAT Harris has been a whale of a success at Washington. The great showing of his team stimulated new interest in the American League race.

BUSH A SURPRISE The announcement that "Donie" Bush had the utility man of the club, would manage Washington for 1923, was the biggest baseball surprise of the year. Bush hadn't been figured in the running.

ROSS ENTRY LEADS HOME CLASSY FIELD Toronto, Sept. 30.—Vrana, bearing the silks of Commander J. K. L. Ross, scored another easy win in the running of the demonstration stakes, fashioned for Canadian bred three-year-olds at a mile-and-a-quarter, with \$4,000 added money yesterday, leading home Thornycroft by four lengths, with Smooth Ice finishing third.

THE BEST FIELD OF THE DAY featured in the running of the Epsom Plate, at a mile and seventy yards, which was won by Joy Smoke, racing under the colors of J. E. Madden, Long Point and Bontaud, finished second and third. After an all-night rain the track was a sea of mud.

BANK MONEY WAS LOST ON RACING SAYS MANAGER Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 30.—There were further developments in the charge of embezzlement against John F. McLelland, general manager of the King Street and Spadina Avenue branch of the Union Bank, on Saturday, when John V. Baird, Hamilton hotelier, was arrested in Buffalo, N.Y., and brought here where he is held without bail.

AUSTRALIAN DAVIS Cup Team Performs On Winnipeg Courts Winnipeg, Sept. 30.—The fine points of tennis were well demonstrated to local fans yesterday, when the visiting Australian Davis Cup team played a series of exhibition matches before a large gallery. Pat O'Hara Wood was the outstanding player yesterday, defeating Gerald L. Patterson 6-3, 6-4.

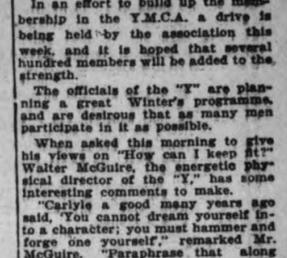
A QUICK KNOCKOUT Canton, Ohio, Sept. 30.—Tiger Flowers of Atlanta, Ga., knocked out Tut Jackson of Washington, D.C., in two minutes and thirty seconds of fighting in their scheduled twelve-round bout here last night. Both are negroes.

WARDS TO MEET A meeting of the North Wards' football team will be held to-night at 8 o'clock in the Metropolitan Billiard Parlors. All players are requested to be present as the team for Saturday will be picked.

Tired Business Men Advised to Join Y Classes

Y.M.C.A. is Putting on Membership Drive and Hopes to Help Men to Health

W. McGuire, Physical Director of Association, Gives Some Pointers



ROGERS HORNSBY

In an effort to build up the membership in the Y.M.C.A. a drive is being held by the association this week, and it is hoped that several hundred members will be added to the strength.

The officials of the "Y" are planning a great Winter's programme, and are desirous that as many men participate in it as possible.

When asked this morning to give his views on "How can I keep fit?" Walter McGuire, the energetic physical director of the "Y," has some interesting comments to make.

"Generally," said McGuire, "you cannot dream yourself into a character; you must hammer and forge one yourself," remarked Mr. McGuire. "Paraphrase that along physical lines and read, 'it needs more than the memory of the willow days of youth to keep one's fifth under control, standing in line a assent to that statement. Between the thirty and forty-year mark—just in the prime—physical machinery that has been 'taking them all on high,' though driving along under constant strain, commences to show weak spots, and like a long-used car, the motive power begins to develop 'knocks.' What are some of the symptoms?"

HOW THE TROUBLE COMES "Sitting at his desk develops a 'crick' in his back. Reading causes headaches, hustling for a street car produces a startling shortness of breath. Late hours bring exhaustion. Excitement over a business deal sets the old heart beating at a tremendous lick. Personal magnetism and power of concentration are 'all shot' because of nervousness and excitability.

Generally, however, before the sanitarium gets him, he calls for a stock-taking, possibly stimulated thereby by a palpitation of the heart, following the old boy's re-union or the college alumni annual. Most men strive to check up before old General Breckenridge arrives.

"Your hard-headed business man knows what he wants and is seldom interested in the waddy adventures of health cures or nostrums. If he is 'from Missouri' when making his business plans, he is equally from the home of the mule when arranging for his rehabilitation through taking down the old wale line, and again putting his chest on the map.

REDDICK IS MATCHED Winnipeg, Sept. 30.—Jack Reddick, Canadian middleweight champion, will meet Ted Jamieson of Milwaukee here on October 21, it was announced yesterday.

Jamieson has met Jack Renault twice, losing the first bout in Boston and winning the second on a foul at Grand Rapids. The Milwaukee fighter has also tied up with Gene Tunney twice, going the limit each time.

ARE YOU LOSING YOUR HAIR? The present increase of baldness is largely due to carelessness and neglect, and persons bothered with dandruff or itching scalp are urged to immediately begin the use of Newbro's Hercoline. Hercoline is an antiseptic hair saver of proven merit. On sale at all drug counters.

GOOD, CLEAN MILLWOOD Delivered in the City Phone 293 The Moore-Whittington Lumber Co.

SETS NEW RECORDS



ROGERS HORNSBY

St. Louis, Sept. 30.—Rogers Hornsby, Cardinal second baseman, took a place beside the greatest hitters in baseball history yesterday. In the season closed here on Sunday Hornsby established two new records, one in batting average and the other in leading his league for the fifth consecutive season.

Hornsby finished with a total of 227 hits in 142 games, making a season's average of .3351, four points above George Sisler's mark of two years ago. Sisler had an approximate .420 average, which tied Trux Cobb's record set in 1911, the high water mark of modern baseball.

The previous consecutive year's batting record was held by Honus Wagner, who led his league for four successive years.

Renault Likely To Be Next Man To Meet Dempsey

Veterans of N.Y. Sporting Critics Says Canadian is Better Now Than Willis

Montréal, Sept. 30.—Jack Renault, Canadian heavyweight, will in all probability be the next man to fight champion of the world, the belle of two of New York's most experienced sporting writers, W. O. McGeehan and Robert Maher, who were in Montréal over the week-end.

They are convinced Tex Rickard had Renault in mind when he refused to commit himself regarding a match between Dempsey and Harry Wills following Wills' victory over Firpo a few weeks ago.

"Renault," said McGeehan, "can beat Wills right now, but he is not ready yet to meet Dempsey. It is a question, however, of a year or eighteen months before he will be ready to meet Dempsey, and when he does, it will be the battle of the century."

MOTORBOAT PATROL RESCUES SURVIVOR OF DROWNING TRAGEDY

Windsor, Ont., Sept. 30.—Clinging to a survivor's stake and in an exhausted condition, a young man was picked up at the head of Lake Erie early yesterday by a motorboat patrol. From the few remarks that he was able to make it was gathered that a party left Amherstburg late the previous night in a motorboat which capsized throwing the occupants into the water. Two women were in the party were drowned. The rescued man when picked up was unable to speak and was too dazed to know what had happened. First-aid was rendered and it is expected that he will recover. The identity of the party is unknown.

ON SECOND THOUGHT

It may yet develop that the Chinese war grew out of a heated quarrel over a banana. "Yes We Have No Bananas."

One nice thing about chess championships, they never bore you with extended accounts of their rigorous training sessions.

The retirement of Little Bill Johnston simply means that some one else will have to take whippings from Tilden next year.

In a magazine article Bill Tilden reveals the secrets of his tennis success, but fails to explain why he was not born in California.

Another reason why we admire the Prince is because he refused an invitation to see Abe Goldstein defend the bantamweight title.

We shall never be satisfied that all the bugs are in asylums until those bugs quit standing in line all night for world series seats.

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED

Store Hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 1 p.m.; Saturday, 9 p.m.

Our 51st Anniversary Sale Commences Wednesday, October 1

We reached the half century mark last year in our store history and looked into the future with every confidence, fully determined to redouble our efforts in making our store and each trade event better and more satisfactory to our customers

Men's Furnishings for the 51st Anniversary Sale

25 Dozen Tooks Brand Shirts, to clear at a great reduction. Shown in fast color woven zephyrs, in neat and fancy stripes; some have separate collars to match, soft double cuffs and starch neck bands. All sizes in the lot but not in any one line. Every shirt guaranteed. Values from \$2.75 to \$3.25, for each **\$1.95**

20 Dozen Men's Fine Shirts, to clear, broken lines and sizes, fast colors, woven zephyrs and percale cloths with starch neck bands and double soft cuffs. Guaranteed brands, shown in stripes and checks. Regular \$2.95, for each **\$1.50**

English Natural Wool Underwear, Robin Hood brand, good Fall weight with double breast, button at shoulder, ankle length. This garment is wonderful value at the price; shirts and drawers, at each **\$1.75**

Combinations with long sleeves and ankle length, a suit **\$3.50**

Get your requirements while we have a full range of sizes in this line.

10 Dozen Men's Good Weight Flannelette Pyjamas, in nice fancy stripes, assorted colors, silk frog trimmings. A useful pyjama for cold nights. Regular \$2.35, for a pair **\$1.95**

50 Dozen Men's Pure Wool Socks, medium weight, in fancy ribs. Colors are grey and heather mixtures, tweed mixtures and plain shades. These socks purchased in England at a great saving are selling at wonderful values. Regular \$1.99 a pair for, a pair **75¢**

A special purchase of English all-wool golf hose, tweed and grey heather mixtures with fancy turn over tops. Regular \$2.50 for a pair **\$1.85**

50 School Cases to clear at 98¢, regular \$1.25 values, size 14-inch. Made from extra-stout tan or black imitation leather, with two side clasps, metal bound, and metal corners, strong handle and nicely lined inside.

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Fashionable and Reliable Shoes at 51st Anniversary Prices

Our Shoe Departments have prepared for big business with immense stocks of fashionable and reliable shoes for the Anniversary Sale. Four separate departments catering specially to footwear needs of men, women, boys and children.

FOR WOMEN

Women's Calfskin Oxfords made for this Fall's trade, on the semi-square toe lasts with low heels and welted soles; brown or black. All sizes, 2 1/2 to 7, at a pair **\$5.95**

200 Pairs of Women's Brown Calf Brogue Oxfords of excellent quality on up-to-date lasts. Wonderful values. All sizes at **\$3.95**

Women's Black Satin Strap Slippers with either low or French heels. At a pair **\$3.95**

Women's High Boots in black kid with welted soles and Cuban heels; brown or black leather boots with low heels. At a pair **\$3.95**

Women's Low Heel Strap Pumps with welted soles, modish wide toes, made of patent leather, brown calf and gunmetal. All sizes from 2 1/2 to 7 at a pair **\$3.95**

FOR MISSES AND CHILDREN

Misses' Black Box Calf School Boots, solid leather, dependable boots, in sizes 11 to 2, at a pair **\$2.95**

Misses' "Classic" Boots and Oxfords in brown or black calf; sizes 11 to 2, Boots, a pair **\$4.50**

Oxfords, a pair **\$4.00**

500 Pairs of Children's Felt Strap Slippers with pictures on uppers and leather soles. All sizes at a pair **\$1.00**

FOR MEN

Men's Brown or Black Leather Boots, made on wide fitting comfortable lasts, reliable wearers. Sizes 6 to 11 at, a pair **\$3.95**

Men's Stout Leather Work Boots at a pair **\$3.95**

Men's Genuine Calfskin Dress Boots with oak tanned welted soles, made on the latest style lasts, a pair **\$5.00**

Men's Leather-lined Brown or Black Calf Leather Boots with full double soles, Goodyear welts. The cheapest boot you can buy for hard winter wear, ensuring dry feet and the utmost comfort, at a pair **\$6.85**

Men's High Grade Fine Dress Boots in brown calf and many styles. Priced at a pair **\$6.95**

Men's All-leather Slippers with stout, hard-wearing soles, English make. Priced at a pair **\$1.95**

Men's Football Boots, best English make, at a pair **\$4.00**

FOR BOYS

Boys' Black Leather School Boots, sizes 11 to 13 1/2, at \$2.15 to 5 1/2 at a pair **\$2.65**

Boys' English-made School Boots in black calf with leather linings, at a pair **\$2.95**

Boys' Extra Good Quality English-made Boots, with oak tanned soles and leather lining, at a pair **\$3.95**

Big Value in Boys' Store for 51st Anniversary Sale

Boys' Mackinaw Coats, in heavy wool mackinaw cloth of lovely dark shades of brown, greys and blues. Well made with heavy collars, patch pockets and full belt. An ideal everyday coat for boys, that will stand hard, rough wear. Sizes from 26 to 38 **\$5.95**

and brown, that are well tailored good, dark mixtures of green, grey

Boys' Strong, Heavy Overcoats, in and full lined. Made with two-way collars and double breasted styles. A coat that is serviceable and dressy. In sizes from 26 to 36. At **\$10.00**

SAILOR SUITS

Boys' English Sailor Suits, of good, heavy quality serge, detachable collars, white and lanyard, short pants, full lined, and in sizes from 3 to 7 years **\$3.50**

Small Boys' Wool Overcoats, in shades of Lovat and light brown checks. A strong and serviceable coat finished with full belt and leather buttons, in sizes 3 to 7 years **\$4.75**

Boys' Flannelette Pyjamas, in strong, good quality materials, of pleasing tones that will give excellent service. Sizes 10 to 18 years **\$1.39**

Boys' Underwear, Robin Hood brand, comes in a good, heavy garment for winter; strong and warm, in natural color. Sizes 22 to 32, at **\$2.39**

Boys' School Jerseys, in good, heavy wool mixtures of school and club colors with shawl and polo collar. This is an ideal boys' jersey for Fall. In all sizes to 34 **\$1.39**

Boys' Tweed Caps, in nice dark shades of grey, brown and green mixtures. Well made and in very neat shapes. An excellent cap that looks smart and dressy. 75¢ to **\$1.00**

Boys' Heavy Wool Sweaters and Coat Sweater with shawl, in plain shades and club colors. This is a heavy sweater that will stand the hard usage of school wear, and has a smart appearance; all sizes. At **\$1.89**

Thousands of Yards of Silks on Sale at Our Anniversary Sale Prices

Ten Thousand Dollars' Worth of Beds, Springs and Mattresses to Be Sold at Lower Prices During the Anniversary Sale

25 Simmons Steel Beds, with square continuous posts and centre hand all standard sizes; in walnut finish. Priced at, each **\$19.75**

25 Steel Beds, with 3-inch continuous posts and heavy flat fillers all standard sizes, in walnut and ivory finishes. Priced at, each **\$16.90**

25 Steel Beds, with continuous posts and five flat fillers, in walnut and all standard sizes, in walnut and ivory finish. Priced at **\$23.50**

25 Steel Beds, with 2-inch continuous post, and heavy round fillers, in ivory finishes, all standard sizes. Priced at, each **\$12.90**

25 Spencerian Felt Mattresses, covered in attractive art ticking, with roll edge, all standard sizes. Priced at, each **\$15.50**

25 Spencers Special White Felt Mattresses, built in layers so that it will not lump, covered in art ticking, with roll edge; all sizes. Priced at, each **\$12.25**

25 Special Felt Mattresses, guaranteed not to lump. Strong art ticking with roll edge; all sizes. Priced at **\$8.75**

50 Mattresses with wood fibre centre, cotton on both sides, covered in heavy art ticking; all standard sizes. Priced at, each **\$6.90**

25 Guaranteed Coil Springs, with heavy angle iron frame, interlaced top wires, and four no sag attachments; all standard sizes. Priced at, each **\$10.00**

25 Woven Wire Springs, on heavy iron frame, rope edge and steel back supports. Priced at, each **\$8.50**

25 Double Woven Wire Springs, on heavy wood frames; all standard sizes, 10 years quarter. Priced at, each **\$6.50**

25 Woven Wire Springs, with double weave rope edge and four steel back supports. Priced at, each **\$5.50**

Bargains in Art Needlework

A bargain table of stamped goods to embroider, includes baby dresses, romper suits, children's dresses and aprons boudoir and baby pillows, towels, camisoles, aprons and tea cloths. To clear at, each **50¢**

Stylish Dresses, stamped flat on good quality linen, in sizes 6, 8 and 10 years, four distinct styles to choose from, featuring straight cut effects, shown in shades of tangerine, green, blue and brown. To embroider, each **75¢**

—Art Needlework, First Floor

Large Size Seamless Velvet Pile Rugs

51st Anniversary Sale Price Seamless Velvet Pile Rugs, 9x10.6. A British made rug of extremely hard wearing quality, in many attractive designs. Anniversary Sale Price **\$35.00**

—Carpets, Second Floor

36-Inch Navy Taffeta, a very fine weave, strong texture, and an excellent shade of navy blue. Regular value \$2.98 a yard, for, a yard **\$1.98**

1,000 Yards of Natural Spun Silk, gives wonderful service for dresses or lingerie. Anniversary Sale Price, a yard **67¢**

36-Inch Silk Cordelene, is a very rich silky material, in a corded weave, has a wonderful lustre, and is ideal for dresses. Shown in shades of ciel, black, brown, grey, corn reseda, white, Saxe, orange and beaver. Regular \$6.75 a yard, for, a yard **\$2.49**

40-Inch Fancy Crepe that will be found very satisfactory for appearance and wear. Shades are fawn, navy, jade, beaver, crabapple, white, black and brown. Regular \$3.25 a yard for, a yard **\$1.69**

36-Inch Fancy Check Crepe, checked with self colors; many neat designs, useful for dresses. Shown in shades of mauve, white, rose, brown, grey, navy, fallow and crabapple. Regular value \$2.98, for, a yard **\$1.69**

40-Inch Figured Crepe de Chine, in a large assortment of novelty designs, on light or dark grounds, very suitable for tops of dresses, scarves, etc. Regular values to \$4.50, for, a yard **\$1.85**

36-Inch Crepe, brilliant in bright pebble satin, for dresses, in shades of grey, apricot, jade, brown, sky and red. Regular value \$2.98, for, a yard **\$1.98**

36-Inch Figured Crepe Knit is a novelty of very heavy quality, with rich finish, shown in shades of brown, fawn and Copen. Regular value \$5.75, for, a yard **\$2.98**

—Silks, Main Floor

French Ivory

Special 51st Anniversary Sale

Our French Ivory Section becomes ever more popular, the reasons being that we have the largest and best assorted stock at the most reasonable prices. We invite inspection. A deposit on any article you may fancy secures it for you.

EXTRA SPECIAL SALE GOODS

French Ivory Hair Brushes, \$3.75 values. Each, **\$2.55**

French Ivory Combs, 75c values. Each **49¢**

French Ivory Trays, \$1.50 values. Each **85¢**

French Ivory Photo Frames, \$1.50 values. Each, **\$1.00**

French Ivory Photo Frames, 85c values. Each **55¢**

French Ivory Perfume Bottles, \$1.50 and \$1.75 values. Each **85¢**

French Ivory Hair Receivers and Powder Boxes, a special assortment, **85¢** and **\$1.25** up.

—French Ivory, Main Floor

Hardware and China at Anniversary Sale Prices

Oddments in Open Stock Dinnerware, English Semi-Porcelain, To Clear, Blue Willow Pattern

Plates, 8-inch, big value at \$1.25. Special, 6 for **\$1.99**

Plates, 6 for **\$1.19**

Fruits, big value at \$4.95 a dozen. Special, 6 for **\$1.89**

Covered Vegetables, big value at \$1.90 a dozen. Special at, 6 for **89¢**

Sugars, big value at \$3.25. Special, each **\$1.95**

Platters, 9-inch, big value at \$1.25. Special, each **75¢**

Platters, 10-inch, big value at 85¢. Special, each **45¢**

Platters, 12-inch, big value at \$1.00. Special, each **65¢**

Platters, 14-inch, big value at \$1.55. Special, each **\$1.00**

Bakers, 8-inch, big value at \$2.20. Special, each **\$1.49**

Pickles, big value at \$1.10. Special, each **65¢**

Gravy Boats, big value at 65¢. Special, each **25¢**

Slop bowls, big value at \$1.10. Special, each **65¢**

Salads, 8-inch, big value at 45¢. Special, each **25¢**

HIGH GRADE ALUMINUM COOKING UTENSILS

Double boilers, coffee percolators, convex kettles, double roasters, convex saucepans and 2 1/2 quart water pitchers. Regular value to \$2.75. Anniversary Sale Price, each **98¢**

7-Piece China Berry Sets, in hand painted floral decorations, six fruits and one bowl. Anniversary Sale Price, a set **\$1.50**

Hand Painted China Cup and Saucers, straight shape, medium size. Anniversary Sale Price, each **25¢**

Oddments in Open Stock Dinnerware, To Clear Sultana Pattern

Plates, 8-inch, big value at \$4.25 a dozen. Special, 6 for **\$1.45**

Plates, 4-inch, big value at \$2.00 a dozen. Special, 6 for **95¢**

Soups, rim, big value at \$4.95 a dozen. Special, 6 for **\$1.29**

Cup and Saucers, big value at \$4.50 a dozen. Special, 6 for **\$1.59**

Covered Vegetables, big value at \$2.25. Special, each **\$1.00**

Cake Plates, big value at \$1.25. Special, each **68¢**

Bakers, 7-inch, big value at 45¢. Special, each **25¢**

Trainers, 8-inch, big value at 65¢. Special, each **35¢**

Salads, 7-inch, big value at 65¢. Special, each **25¢**

Salads, 8-inch, big value at 65¢. Special, each **35¢**

Salads, 9-inch, big value at 95¢. Special, each **55¢**

Creams, big value at 65¢. Special, each **35¢**

Bargains in Staple Goods, Blankets, Comforters, Flannels and Flannelette

Baby Clothing at Anniversary Sale Prices

Infants Coats of white bearskin and lambewool, in straight and belted styles, suitable for ages 3 months to 1 year. Remarkable values for **\$3.75**

Manufacturers Sample Infant's Coats, of blanket and Teddy-bear cloth, trimmed with silk braid, fur and astrachan trimmings, shown in sand, jade, brown, rose and Saxe. Attractive new styles, suitable for ages 1 to 4 years, **\$5.50**, **\$3.75**, **\$4.50** and **\$5.75**

Manufacturers Sample Coat Sets, comprising coat and hats, or coat and overall gaiters, suitable styles for boys or girls. Materials include fine velours, corduroy velvets and blanket cloth, trimmed with fur and silk braid. Splendid range of colors, for set, **\$6.00** to **\$12.50**

Flannel Barracotts, extra fine quality, finished with plain or scalloped edge, for **\$1.39** and **\$1.98**

Barracotts of soft flannelette, with plain or scalloped finish. Regular \$1.50, for **\$1.00**

Pure Wool Vests, button down front, sizes 3 months to 1 year, for **85¢** and **95¢**

Diapers, neatly hemmed, made from good quality soft flannelette, sizes 27x27, for, per dozen, **\$2.95**

Rubber Crib Sheets, extra large sizes **\$1.25**

Crib Blankets of warm beaver cloth, plain colors or animal design **\$1.15**

Wool Towels, in all white or trimmed sky and pink **50¢**

Wool Booties, hand crocheted, in white and pink, white and sky **35¢**

Wool Drawers, plain knit weave, ribbed at waist and knees; splendid quality **98¢**

Infants' Shortening Dresses of fine white lawn, with embroidered yokes, hemstitched skirt. Reg. \$1.25, for **79¢**

Shortening Skirts of cream wincey, skirt trimmed embroidery. Regular \$1.75, for **\$1.00**

Rompers, of good quality chambray and gingham. Smocked yokes, sheer in tan, blue and pink. Sizes 6 months to 2 years. Reg. \$1.50 value, for **\$1.00**

Infants' Shawls, of fine wool and silk and wool, with fringe or pattern border, in a big variety of designs **\$1.50**

Exceedingly good values in Pure Wool Plaid Blankets, limited quantity, made from fine soft grade, perfect goods, with stitched or satin bound edges; two sizes only.

64 x 84 ins., 7 lbs., pure wool, reg. \$11.75. Sale Price, a pair **\$7.50**

72 x 84 ins., 8 lbs., pure wool, reg. \$13.50. Sale Price, a pair **\$9.55**

72 x 84 ins., 8 lbs., pure wool, satin bound, reg. \$15.50. Sale Price, a pair **\$11.75**

31-inch Grey Shirting Scotch Wincey, regular 95¢. Sale Price, a yard **59¢**

34-inch Stout Striped Flannelette, great value. Sale Price, a yard **45¢**

30-inch Fine Striped and Checked Flannelette, excellent value, a yard **25¢**

Stout Canton Flannel, white or unbleached, 28 inches wide, regular 30¢. Sale Price, a yard **25¢**

Welsh Flannels, unshrinkable, natural and grey, 30 inches wide, regular 85¢. Sale Price, a yard **65¢**

White Flannelette, 34 inches wide, ideal quality, pure grade. A real bargain, regular 45¢. Sale Price, a yard **35¢**

Fine Quality All-white Dimity Bedspreads, sizes 70x96. A dainty spread. Regular \$5.95. Sale Price **\$4.95**

Stout Quality All-white Crochet Bedspreads, extra large size, 80x99, regular \$4.75. Sale Price **\$3.75**

Flannelette Sheets, Canada's best grade. Sale prices on all sizes. Largest size made, white or grey, with blue or pink borders, regular \$3.25. Sale Price, a pair **\$2.79**

Medium size, white or grey, with blue or pink borders, regular \$2.45. Sale Price, a pair **\$2.49**

Single bed size, white or grey with blue or pink borders, regular \$2.50. Sale Price, a pair **\$2.19**

Large crib size, grey or white with blue or pink borders, regular \$1.50. Sale Price, a pair **\$1.25**

Cotton-filled Comforters, rose design, good coloring. Big value at **\$4.75**

Cotton-filled Comforters of shadow cretonne, a splendid buy at **\$3.50**

—Staples, Main Floor

Men's Coats for the 51st Anniversary Sale

\$19.75, \$24.75, \$29.75

We have grouped our Men's Overcoats into three special lines and prices for this event. You will find these coats wonderful values and every coat a bargain. They are shown in all the latest models.

Group 1.—These coats are shown in belted or half-belted styles, with long roll lapels, pleated back, lined or half-lined, in shades of brown, grey or fancy tweeds. Splendidly tailored in young men's or conservative models. All sizes and excellent values at **\$19.75**

Group 2.—This line consists of real high grade overcoats for men, splendidly tailored, very stylish, and we are confident that they represent the best values obtainable. Shown in all the latest and pleasing shades and patterns—brown, fawn and grey; all sizes. Priced at **\$24.75**

Group 3.—A splendid line of Men's or Young Men's Overcoats, extremely stylish with pleated back, belted or half-belted, fully lined or half-lined, and patch pockets. They are distinctive and attractive. We specially invite your inspection of these coats. Priced at **\$29.75**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Joseph E. Ward's Felt Hats \$5.00

High grade fur felt hats for men, made by Joseph E. Ward of England, designed on smart lines, in several different styles, lined or unlined, with either welted or bound brims, will stand rough wear and give the utmost in satisfaction. Colors are pearl, drab, nickle, biscuit and medium grey; all black bands. Sizes 6 3/4 to 7 3/4. Values to \$7.50 for **\$5.00**

Men's Caps, travelers caplets marked exceedingly low for quick selling, 60 only in the lot, all good, serviceable colors, made with 1-piece tops, plain or pleated backs, and unbreakable paste. Special **\$1.95**

—Men's Hats, Main Floor

LINOLEUMS

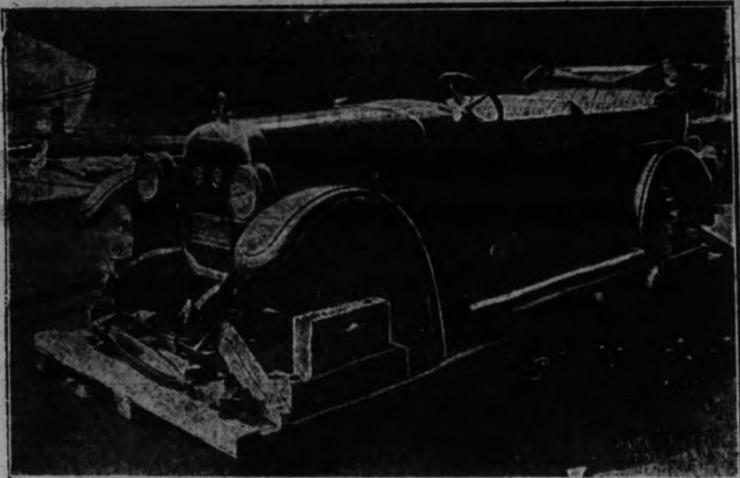
Canadian Linoleum of fine quality, in a full range of beautiful designs. Anniversary Sale Price, a square yard **98¢**

Scotch Linoleum, noted for beauty of design and perfect printing. Anniversary Sale Price, a square yard **\$1.10**

Inlaid Linoleums, in beautiful designs that go right through to the canvas back, a large selection to choose from. Anniversary Sale Price, a square yard **\$1.95**

—Linoleums, Second Floor

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED



VANCOUVER CAR MAKES LONG VOYAGE.—Many tourists from Canada and the United States now tour Europe in their own cars. Shown here is an American-made car, purchased by a Canadian in Vancouver, in which he toured across the continent from Vancouver, B.C., to New York City, and in which he is now touring in England. The photograph, taken on the Cunard line pier, shows the secure manner in which the car was crated just before it was lifted into the hold of the steamship Aquitania, on which it accompanied its owner to Southampton to be used on a tour of Europe. The car was completely encased in a box lined with waterproof paper.



MOVIE ACTOR'S BEAUTY MARRED.—A festering tooth cost Pat O'Malley \$10,000, when it was yanked out by the dentist and caused him to lose an engagement for a film production in which he was to appear. A toothless leading man is of no use in a photoplay and it was learned that it would take a few weeks before Pat's smile would look normal again.



HAS QUEER IDEA TRAVEL.—An attempt to sail around the world in a twenty-four-foot sailboat, a converted lifeboat with a small box-like cabin, is being made from New York by Dimetrios Sigelakis, twenty-six, a seaman from the Island of Crete. Sigelakis, who built his boat in Hoboken at a cost of \$2,400 and brought it to the Battery, said he was inspired by a dream to circle the globe in a one-man boat.



FORTY-EIGHT WENT IN—BUT ONLY TWELVE CAME OUT.—Here is the entrance to the Kemmerer Coal Company's Mine No. 5 at Kemmerer, Wyo. Forty-eight men went in to work—but only twelve of them now live to tell the story of the explosion that wrecked a portion of the shaft. Rescue parties are seen going in.



HE WAS TOO INQUISITIVE!—"Pirate Pete" had things pretty much his own way for twenty years. Farmers along Lake Prien, in southwestern Louisiana, would see him sneak up and kill off their pigs. But the big 225-pound alligator always succeeded in eluding them on the way back to his lair. The other day, though, he grew curious when he heard a lot of noise around. And that was his undoing. When he shot his head up through the sand, a lasso tightened around his jaws. Now "Pete's" making all the farms down south.



CANT BE DOWNED.—Miss Vera Michaels had to leave Russia with her family when revolutionists started shooting up the nobility. Instead of becoming a lady in waiting to the Czarina she became a college girl in America—at Radcliffe. She's just won the highest position there for herself, being elected president of the Student Government Association and making Phi Beta Kappa.



ROYALTY SMILES.—"Crown him" to a bricklayer is supposed to mean hurling a brick. But it means a royal skypiece for Joseph H. McNally, "King of the Bricklayers" of New York. McNally is credited with laying or superintending the laying of 27,000,000 bricks. His mates recognized his position by presenting a studded crown.



HAS NO HOME.—Rosebud Young, daughter of Courtland Young, millionaire publisher, and Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Young, former Follies girl, for whose custody both parents are fighting in court. The judge threatens to take the child from both and place her in an institution.



CAUSING ALL THE FUSS IN CHINA.—General Wu Pei-Fu, pictured above, has ruled as a military power in China since he defeated the armies of Marshal Chang Tao-lin war lord of Manchuria, in 1922. But after two years of preparation, Marshal Chang is on his way southward again against Peking. Inset is Dr. Sun Yat Sen, who, in the South, is threatening to bombard the city of Canton and has warned all foreigners in the city to remain indoors.



BANKERS' CHIEF.—From Irish immigrant boy to president of the American Bankers' Association will be the career of William E. Knox, rounded out at the meeting of the Association in Chicago, September 26 to October 3. Knox now is vice-president of the Association and will succeed to the highest office. He is president of the Bowery Savings Bank, New York City.



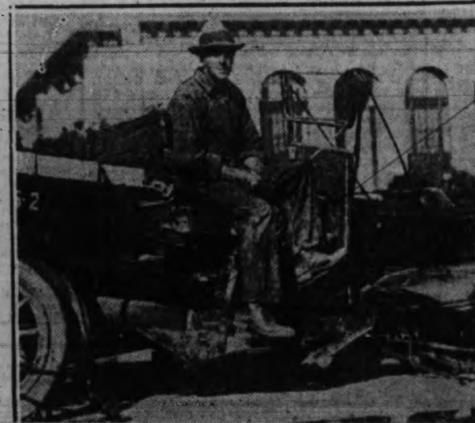
"YOU'VE GOT ALL AFTERNOON."—"Wait your turn" is the order for bus riders on bright Saturday afternoons in New York. The bus is a combination tally-ho, lovers' roost and sun parlor for thousands, and after the noontime office closing crowds gather quickly at Washington Square for the long ride up Fifth Avenue and beyond.



THEY'RE BUYING THEIR 1925 HATS.—In speedy New York they already are selling straw hats for next season's wear. Over in Second Avenue, discarded straw lids of the present semester gathered up by enterprising sidewalk merchants, are being sold at the curb for twenty-five cents each. Moth balls and tar bags will help them weather the Winter and next Summer they will come from their hibernating spots, ready to protect a pate from a Summer sun. You can buy anything from shoestrings and toys to gold bricks and bedroom furniture on the sidewalks of New York.



SASKATOON DENTIST MISSING.—Dr. R. I. Hotham, dentist of Saskatoon, who has been missing from his home since September 14. His friends fear he has been murdered. On the day of his disappearance he went motoring alone, and it is believed he was killed for the sake of a valuable diamond stickpin he was wearing, his money and his car.



LADY LUCK RODE WITH HIM.—Lady Luck surely must have been riding alongside Charles Novotny, chauffeur for the United States Forest Service, when his truck got smashed up in San Fernando, Calif. He was hauling 800 pounds of T.N.T. That was more than enough to wipe the town off the map. But, through some freak of good fortune, it didn't happen.

SCHOOL DAYS

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By DWIG



Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

PROFESSOR FAILS TO UNSETTLE MARKET

Chicago, Sept. 30 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—The market soared into new high ground early but from general appearances the market was advanced too rapidly. The selling appeared to be better than the buying at times.

The advance recently has been rapid and while there is no fundamental change in the situation pit conditions have been reversed with an overbought position developing.

The export situation is strong and we do not look for material decline but would not let good profits go away here as there will probably be a two-sided market for the time being and lines can probably be restated to advantage.

Canadian market strength was due largely to back spreading which is not likely to last, and the Canadian movement in a general decline. Prospects while the export news has been exploited pretty freely for the time being.

Corn: New buying failed to be stimulated to any great extent by the frosts and forecasts for more. This being the case local longs were disposed to sell. The cash demand was fair and sales were \$5,000 bushels for shipment with prices steady.

Primary receipts are large compared to a year ago, 1,182,000 bushels vs. 466,000 bushels, which is likely to be a bearish influence in corn. On bulwarks (hulk corn) sold, unless other grains turn radically strong again.

Oats: In fair demand while other grains were strong, but the general market was slow and big receipts handicapped buyers to great extent.

Ultimately oats situation should develop pronounced strength, but for the present would buy only on setbacks.

New York, Sept. 30 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—The stock market again demonstrated its ability to resist professional attempts to unsettle the general list by attacks launched in various sections of the market from time to time. After each attempt prices came back in impressive fashion. When the leaders, like U. S. Steel, American Can and Baldwin, were allowed to take care of themselves, the losses sustained were not severe. The market was continued in the motor shares, with especial strength in Stewart-Warner, where a large short interest exists.

Stewart-Warner has been the darling of the professionals since the dividend was reduced last July.

Present slight firmness in money is clearly normal in view of October requirements. Action of collateral loan rates is practically the same witnessed around September 1. Bankers are strongly inclined to be more cautious with drop back to the general level prevailing since June.

All Federal reserve districts are so well supplied with funds that there can be no appreciable change in the general outlook for the remainder of the year nor until the business stride of 1925 begins to manifest early in October. The market is expected to be sixty days 2 1/2 bid, 2 offered; ninety days 2 1/2 bid, three per cent. offered. Commercial paper is quiet. Volume on offer slight. Prime names 2 1/2, other names 3. Bulk of business 2 1/2.

Only the regular quarterly dividend was declared on American Can and had little effect on the general list.

WEATHER BOOSTS GRAIN PRICES TO-DAY

New York, Sept. 30 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—In the afternoon the tone improved and closing prices in most instances were a shade better than last night. The market still seems to be somewhat of a waiting affair, although the general developments of construction activity would seem to warrant following the buying side with a view to expecting higher prices growing out of the signs of the times indicating better trade conditions.

Chicago, Ill. Sept. 30 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—All grains were highly active and higher today with wheat and rye leading in strength and scope of advances. Liverpool sent over higher cables which in stored buying and the opening and caused a higher level than the previous close. After a few periods of backing and filling, prices gradually hardened and climbed into new high territory for the season. Winnipeg furnished bullish ammunition to the local longs by establishing a record high price for wheat before reaching their October selling at \$1.53 1/2, but later reacting and closing at 1.49 1/2. Continued unfavorable Canadian weather, which is interfering with harvesting, was a contributing factor, while foreigners bought liberal of wheat in this market.

Oats followed other grains, advancing in sympathy with wheat, but giving little evidence of independent strength.

Rye reached new high ground for the year and maintained practically all of its gain at the close. Supplies are steadily being accumulated by foreign interests who are said to now control more than fifty per cent. of the exportable surplus. After such a rapid advance, the late relative cheapness of this cereal has disappeared and prices are probably near the peak for some time.

Wheat—Domestic—Low 1.47 1/2, High 1.53 1/2, Last 1.51 1/2. Rye—Domestic—Low 1.02 1/2, High 1.04 1/2, Last 1.03 1/2. Oats—Domestic—Low 1.02 1/2, High 1.04 1/2, Last 1.03 1/2.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, SEPTEMBER 30, 1924

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wires)

Table of New York Stock Exchange prices for various stocks including Am. Steel, Am. Sugar, and others.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Winnipeg, Sept. 30.—The wheat market was very nervous and erratic to-day, with the tendency towards high values most of the session. October touching a new high at 15 1/2, but this was not held, considerable profit-taking near the close causing a reaction.

Profit-taking cut sharply into the advance before the close, which was 1 1/2 higher for October, 15 for November, 14 for December and 1 1/4 for May.

Table of Winnipeg Grain prices for various grades of wheat and other grains.

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Canadian sterling—Buying \$4.43 1/2, selling \$4.46 1/2. Japanese yen, 40.50 cents. Chinese tael (Shanghai), 77.40 cents.

New York, Sept. 30.—Foreign exchange firm. Quotations in cents. Great Britain—Demand 445 7/16; cables 445 11/16; 60-day bills on banks 442 11/16.

France—Demand 4.57; cables 4.57 1/2. Italy—Demand 4.37; cables 4.37 1/2. Belgium—Demand 4.32 1/2; cables 4.33.

Germany—Demand (per trillion) 22 1/2. Holland—Demand 38.54. Norway—Demand 14.17.

Denmark—Demand 17.30. Sweden—Demand 25.52. Switzerland—Demand 19.93. Spain—Demand 13.24.

Greece—Demand 1.74. Poland—Demand 1.94. Czechoslovakia—Demand 2.85 1/2. Yugoslavia—Demand 1.23 1/2. Austria—Demand 60.14 1/2.

Rumania—Demand 62. Argentina—Demand 26.10. Brazil—Demand 10.55. Poland—Demand 40 1/2. Montreal, 100.

Call money firm; high 2 1/2; low 2 1/4; ruling rate 2 1/2; closing bid 2 1/4; call loans against acceptances 2 1/4. Time loans firm; mixed collateral 60-90 days 2 1/2 @ 2 1/4; 4-6 months 3 @ 3 1/4.

Prime commercial paper 2 1/2.

VICTORY BONDS

Table of Victory Bond prices for various denominations and terms.

Wholesale Market

Table of Wholesale Market prices for various commodities including fresh extra, apples, and other goods.

Retail Market

Table of Retail Market prices for various goods including flour, sugar, and other items.

AUSTRALIA LOOKS FOR GOOD RETURN ON TRADE TREATY

Expect to Reap From Substantial Advantage Given Canada on Newsprint

Government's Reciprocity Bill Introduced in House Last Friday

Sydney, Aug. 29 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuters)—The Commonwealth Government's reciprocity bill, which was introduced in the House of Representatives last Friday was a surprise to the public, although the proposal had been incubating for two years.

The general attitude of the Australians has been an unwillingness to allow the United States to supplant this country's British trade connections. This is especially the case with regard to the tariff on newsprint in which it is believed that any substantial advantage given Canada will be returned in good measure.

IN FAVOR OF CANADA—When Premier S. M. Bruce decided to return a visit to Australia from England after attending the Imperial Conference in London last autumn instead of by way of the United States it was no secret that he was still hopeful that the British Parliament would not reject the proposed preference on dried fruits. It was believed that the mission of Hon. F. A. Robb, then Canadian Minister of Trade and Commerce, to this country in 1922, did not result in any change of Australian policy as the arrangements in the negotiations appeared to be all in favor of Canada, but Premier Bruce frequently warned the British Government that Australia could not reject indefinitely all offers of reciprocal trade from outside Great Britain, and the outcome of Great Britain's attitude on the preference in the trade agreement with Canada.

Australia must find an overseas market for her dried and canned fruit exports and the steady outlet for her most markets.

FULL PREFERENCE—Ottawa, Sept. 29.—Full details of the trade treaty between Canada and Australia are not yet available here, but it is known that Canada gives Australia her full British preference. Canada does not receive the full Australian preference to the United Kingdom in return, but does get part of that list and some other concessions which are regarded of importance to Canada. Up till now Australia has been outside the scope of the British preference, but the Canadian products had the benefit of any Australian preferential rate.

The details of the particular concessions received by Canada are not obtainable at present, except that it is known that parliamentary provision has already been made for the importation of certain goods in preference on Australian dried fruit and currants.

The treaty, it is known, will require parliamentary sanction here as well as in Australia.

FOUR KILLED IN SPEEDER AND TRAIN CRASH

Port Arthur, Ont., Sept. 29.—A Chinese member of an extra gang was killed and three white men injured when a speeder was derailed by a train at Nakina on the C.N.R. yesterday.

Ice and Frost Hit Corn Belt; Warm in Canada

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Early weather to-day over the corn belt is reported as generally clear and cool with temperatures mostly under 50. There was light to heavy frost in Northern Illinois and Iowa and light frost at Enid, Oklahoma, and at Salina and Emporia, Kansas. There was heavy killing frost at Dayton and Florence, Missouri, and Indiana if the sky clears.

Fair warm weather is general throughout the Canadian West.

Foreign Demand For Wheat More Than Surplus Here

New York, Sept. 30.—The Department of Agriculture report this morning is sensational, estimating the total overseas surplus of wheat at \$55,000,000 while best estimates abroad call for \$60,000,000.

The report also states the shortage of rye abroad cannot be made up because Russia and the United States do not possess sufficient supplies.

SEPTEMBER BANK CLEARINGS—Victoria bank clearings for the month of September total \$71,211, according to the Victoria Clearing House report issued at noon to-day.

AS GOOD AS A LAWYER—A prisoner being tried at the Cork Assizes was not professionally represented. But in proceeding with the case the judge, addressing him, said: "This is a very serious offence you are charged with. If you are convicted it means a long term of imprisonment. Have you no counsel or solicitor to look after your defence?" The prisoner in the most confidential manner leaned over the dock and replied: "No, my lord, I have no counsel, not even a solicitor, but I am pleased to be able to inform your lordship that I have some very good friends on the jury."—English paper.

BABSON REVEALS BUSINESS OUTLOOK

New York, Sept. 30 (By R. P. Clark special wire)—Roger Babson, the famous business authority, to-day says in part:

"The immediate outlook for the oil industry is uncertain, but we believe one can begin to purchase carefully selected oil stocks. Steel stocks may have a good advance, but, in view of recent competition, I would advise confining purchase to U.S. Steel common. It may fluctuate considerably, but it is in a good strong position. We should not be surprised to see the sugar stocks strengthen purely on a seasonal movement. Chances of profit with attention paid to the chemical stocks appears to be better than in some other issues. Leathers are not considered attractive speculative issues even at present low prices."

Local Men Get Dunwell Extension

Portland Canal claims of Robert W. Martin, which adjoin the Dunwell mine on Glacier Creek, near Stewart, B.C., have been taken over by a syndicate of Victoria men, headed by Mr. J. S. Shaw. The claims are known as Star No. 1, No. 2, Dandy No. 1 and No. 2, all contained under the heading of Dunwell Extension. The ore veins of the Dunwell continue through this property, according to Mr. Martin's discovery. Considerable tunnelling has already been done on the property, its sponsor claim.

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Household Furniture and Furnishings

Including: Almost new Wicker Arm Chair and Rocker to match, with loose spring seated cushions, Folding Oak Card Table, Oak Music Cabinet, Ladies' Mahogany and Oak Secretaries, Reed Arm Chairs, Drophead Sewing Machine, large Upholstered Arm Chairs, almost new Winnipeg Couch, small Chesterfield, Oak Morris Chairs, Drop-leaf Gate-leg Table, very good Carpets, Electric Reading Lamp, Electric Vacuum Sweeper, very good Mission Oak Dining-room Suite, consisting of Dining Table, Set of 6 Dining Chairs and Buffet, Round Padded Oak Dining Table and Set of 4 Dining Chairs to match, Hand Sewing Machine, complete English Tea Set, Two Dinner Services, lot of very old China Plates, Cups, Tea Pots, etc.; Glassware, Cut Glass Jug, Plated Ware, Books, Curtains, several good Rugs, Bicycles, very good Bicycle with Johnson Motor, 2 Show Cases, Pictures, Clocks, almost new Cream Enamel Bed, Spiral Springs and Mattresses, in single and full size, almost new Cream Enamel Chair, Washstand, Dresser to match, lot of good Bedding, Pillows, etc., several White Enamel Beds, Springs and Mattresses, extra good Bedding, large Wardrobe, Bedroom Tables, Chairs and Rockers, several pieces of good Linoleum, Child's Toilet, Baby Buggies and Go-carts, Toilet Ware, Carpet Runners, extra good Bedding, Washstand, Stoves, very good Steel Ranges, Cook Stoves, Kitchen Cabinet with glass doors, Kitchen Tables, Kitchen Chairs, Aluminum and other Clocks, Lamps, Jam Jars, Wash Tubs and Boilers, Oil Stoves and Heaters, Electric Irons, Wringers, Spark Guards, Fire Baskets, Several Trunks, Washing Machines, Three-burner Florence Oil Stove and Oven, Zinc Bath, Three-burner New Perfection Oil Stove and Oven, lot of Apples, pair of New Cement Washtubs, etc.

AUCTION

In McCloy's Auction Halls THURSDAY 1.30 p.m. Household Furniture and Miscellaneous Effects

Oak Roll-top Desk, Elegant Jacobean Oak Breakfast Room Set of Neat Buffet, Gate-leg Table and 4 Chairs (like new), Carpets, Axminster Corridor Rug, Oak Library Table, Nice Kitchen Cabinet, Harvard Classics (50 volumes), Teachers' and Pupils' Cyclopedia, Deep-seated Spring-edge Chesterfield in Tapestry, Neat Oak Secretaries, Carved Brass Table with Electric Lamp attached, Dining Chairs, Extension Tables, several good Beds with excellent Springs and Mattresses, Dressing Room and Stands, Seagrass Chairs, Bedroom Tables and Chairs, Bedding and Curtains, Kitchen Tables and Chairs, Heaters, A-1 Lorraine Steel Range with Double Burner, Florence Cook Stoves, Rifles and Shotguns, also several Bicycles and other goods being unclaimed articles sold by order of Oak Bay Police.

On view Wednesday afternoon and Thursday forenoon. At Private Sale 1.30 p.m. CHEVROLET CHUMMY ROADSTER 1919 Model, all in First-class Order, Good Tires, etc.

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HEADQUARTERS FOR Dunwell and Glacier Creek Stocks. Call in for latest news of development. Stewart Williams & Co. Auctioneers. Sole No. 1893. Instructed by Hugh Spence, Esq., will sell at his residence, 1515 Cook Street, corner of Regent Street, To-morrow, Oct. 1. At 1.30, the whole of his well kept HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS. 'Indian' Motorcycle. All the above furniture is in excellent condition, and was purchased from Weller Bros. On view to-morrow from 10 o'clock. Take No. 3 Car to the door. For further particulars apply to The Auctioneer Stewart Williams 410 and 411 Sayward Building Phone 1324. To-morrow 1.30 p.m. Almost New Household Furniture and Furnishings. Including: Almost new Wicker Arm Chair and Rocker to match, with loose spring seated cushions, Folding Oak Card Table, Oak Music Cabinet, Ladies' Mahogany and Oak Secretaries, Reed Arm Chairs, Drophead Sewing Machine, large Upholstered Arm Chairs, almost new Winnipeg Couch, small Chesterfield, Oak Morris Chairs, Drop-leaf Gate-leg Table, very good Carpets, Electric Reading Lamp, Electric Vacuum Sweeper, very good Mission Oak Dining-room Suite, consisting of Dining Table, Set of 6 Dining Chairs and Buffet, Round Padded Oak Dining Table and Set of 4 Dining Chairs to match, Hand Sewing Machine, complete English Tea Set, Two Dinner Services, lot of very old China Plates, Cups, Tea Pots, etc.; Glassware, Cut Glass Jug, Plated Ware, Books, Curtains, several good Rugs, Bicycles, very good Bicycle with Johnson Motor, 2 Show Cases, Pictures, Clocks, almost new Cream Enamel Bed, Spiral Springs and Mattresses, in single and full size, almost new Cream Enamel Chair, Washstand, Dresser to match, lot of good Bedding, Pillows, etc., several White Enamel Beds, Springs and Mattresses, extra good Bedding, large Wardrobe, Bedroom Tables, Chairs and Rockers, several pieces of good Linoleum, Child's Toilet, Baby Buggies and Go-carts, Toilet Ware, Carpet Runners, extra good Bedding, Washstand, Stoves, very good Steel Ranges, Cook Stoves, Kitchen Cabinet with glass doors, Kitchen Tables, Kitchen Chairs, Aluminum and other Clocks, Lamps, Jam Jars, Wash Tubs and Boilers, Oil Stoves and Heaters, Electric Irons, Wringers, Spark Guards, Fire Baskets, Several Trunks, Washing Machines, Three-burner Florence Oil Stove and Oven, Zinc Bath, Three-burner New Perfection Oil Stove and Oven, lot of Apples, pair of New Cement Washtubs, etc. Instructed by the owner, will sell at Public Auction at the residence, 'Caldaroch House,' 1385 1/2 Manor Road, Rockland Avenue, on Monday and Tuesday October 6 and 7 At 2 p.m. each day, the whole of the Household Furniture and Effects. As previously advertised. On view Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. For further particulars apply to the Auctioneers ROBERTS & MELLOR 738 Fort Street Phone 2476. H. S. PRINGLE, City Solicitor.

PRIVATE BILL NOTICES. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session by the Corporation of the City of Victoria for an Act (to be known as the "Victoria City Act, 1924"), providing for the following matters, and giving to the said Corporation and the Municipal Council thereof the following powers, namely: 1. Enabling the Council to exchange tax sale lands for other lands within the City, and providing that all lands received in exchange shall be deemed tax sale lands for all purposes, and powers to be retroactive from January 1, 1923. 2. Enabling the Council to issue licenses to impose and collect license fees from any person or persons owning or keeping a vehicle or vehicles for hire a sum not exceeding \$25.00 for each vehicle, and providing that the regulation and inspection of electric and other wiring, to levy and collect fees for taxation purposes, and to require wiring permits to be obtained and payment of inspection fees and to require owners before commencement of wiring installation. 3. To enable Council to enter into agreement with any person or persons for the purchase of land, the sum as annual assessment for taxation purposes, and to be subject to approval of electors at a public hearing held for the purpose of the "Municipal Act, 1924". 4. Providing that the "Fire Department Act" and "Fire Department Act" shall not apply to the City of Victoria. Dated at Victoria, B.C., September 24, 1924. H. S. PRINGLE, City Solicitor.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY PRIVATE BILLS. NOTICE is hereby given that the time limited by the Rules of the House for presenting petitions for Private Bills will expire on Wednesday, 24th day of November, 1924. Private Bills must be presented to the House on or before Tuesday, the 23rd day of November, 1924. Reports from Standing or Select Committees on Private Bills must be made on or before Monday, the 24th day of November, 1924. W. H. LANGLEY, Clerk, Legislative Assembly.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA. Tenders for Police Clothing. SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 2 p.m. Monday, October 6, 1924, for the making and supplying of Forty-three Pairs of Police Trousers and Five Uniform Overcoats for the Police Department. Samples may be seen at the office of the Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked on envelope. Tenders for Police Clothing. SEALED cheques for five per cent. of the total amount of the tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. W. H. MICHIELL, Purchasing Agent. City Hall, Victoria, B.C., September 26, 1924.

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Victoria Daily Times Advertising Phone No. 1090 RATES FOR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING Situations Vacant, situations Wanted, Real Estate, etc. See page 1090.

Births, Marriages, Deaths NORTH—On Sept. 28, 1924, at the residence, 1241 Oxford Street, George Alexander North, aged 55 years, born in New Zealand, at a residence of this city for the past forty-three years.

IN MEMORIAM POULTON—In ever loving memory of my dear son, William Poulton, died September 29, 1922.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE BOY with bicycle wants work Saturdays. Phone 4729.

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D.R. F. SHUTE, Dentist, Office, No. 181 Pemberton Bldg., Phone 1187.

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INFECTED TEXAS CATTLE SLAUGHTERED
 Federal Government Aid Efforts to Stamp Out Hoof Disease

Houston, Texas, Sept. 30.—Plans to finance the campaign against the foot and mouth disease, now in the fourth day of its progress in this vicinity, the announcement that no new outbreaks had been discovered, and feverish preparations in the face of difficulties to destroy approximately 1,900 infected cattle on about 8,000 acres of pasture lands, were the outstanding developments in the quarantined situation here today.

The financial aspect was canvassed at a conference between Governor Pat Neff and members of the sanitary livestock commission with the result that the governor announced he would confer to-morrow in Austin with the state banking commissioner in an effort to induce the bankers of the state to cash deficiency warrants for an initial \$50,000 at face value. A like amount is on deposit in Houston banks as the first contribution of the Federal government toward stamping out the disease, according to a statement by Dr. Marion Innes of California, foot and mouth disease expert of the department of agriculture, in charge of the field forces here.

Dr. Innes said that previous outbreaks had never been eradicated in less than seven months, and it was his judgment that with the most favorable developments, inspectors should be kept in the field here for that length of time.

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BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily's Candy Kettle

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 (By Howard R. Garis)

Baby Bunty the cute little rabbit girl, skipped over the fields and through the woods one morning until she reached the hollow stump bungalow, where Uncle Wiggily lived. The rabbit gentleman had just finished tinkling his pink nose and was about to start off to seek an adventure when Baby Bunty arrived.

"Hello, Uncle Wiggily," she called, giving him a pink name she always used when she wanted something special.

"Hello, Baby Bunty!" laughed the bunny gentleman. "What is it this morning?"

"I don't know, did Uncle Wiggily, that Baby Bunty wanted something."

"Could I take your candy kettle?" asked the little rabbit girl. "That is I don't zactly want it myself, but could I take your candy kettle?"

"Well, who does zactly want the candy kettle if you don't, Baby Bunty?" asked Mr. Longears with a

smile, as he imitated the funny way she said "exactly."

"Johnnie and Billie Bushytail want your candy kettle, if you please, Uncle Wiggily," spoke Baby Bunty.

"What do the squirrel boys want of my candy kettle?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

"Anyhow, I don't believe I have one. I never heard Nurse Jane say there was a candy kettle in her kitchen."

"Oh, any sort of a kettle will do to boil up some sugar and molasses in to make candy," said Bunty eagerly.

"Please let me take any kind of a kettle, Uncle Wig, and Johnnie and Billie will make candy in it."

"Oh, ho! So that's what those squirrel boys are doing; are they?" chuckled the bunny gentleman.

"Well, where are they going to make it, Bunty, if I let you take my kettle?"

"They've built a camp fire over there," and Bunty pointed to a clump



Get away from her! crier Uncle Wiggily

"And won't I have fun nibbling Uncle Wiggily's ears!" cried a savage voice, and out of the bushes popped the Woolly Wolf.

"Oh! Oh!" cried Baby Bunty.

"Glitter-litter-litter!" scolded Johnnie and Billie.

"Get away from here, you bad chap!" cried Uncle Wiggily. Quickly he took the hot spoon, with which he had stirred the candy, and he hit the Wolf on the nose with the hot spoon.

"Wowhie! Ouchie!" howled the Wolf. "Oh, how my nose burns!"

And away he ran into the woods, taking his tail with him, and he didn't bite the bunny gentleman at all.

Then the candy was cooked, and Johnnie, Billie and Bunty ate it, and it was very good. And, of course, Uncle Wiggily had some for himself, as he helped make it. So everything ended happily you see, and if the butter doesn't slip off the bread, just when the cup of tea is going to take it in to supper, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the tickle brush.

TEST CASE ON DEPORTATION OF DRUG OFFENDERS

Counsel Engaged by Chinese to Test Validity of Proceedings

Vancouver, Sept. 29.—The validity of deportation proceedings instituted by Dominion immigration officers against Chinese, who have been convicted under the Opium and Narcotic Drug Act, is to be determined in a test case by the Supreme Court of Canada.

This intention of certain local interests was disclosed to Mr. Justice Morrison by Mr. Reginald Eyre, who has been retained as counsel to fight the proposed deportments from Canada of Wong Sing.

The Chinese was found guilty of having morphine in his possession and was sentenced to six months im-

DAILY RADIO PROGRAMMES

TUESDAY, SEPT. 30

CFCT—Victoria City Temple
 From 7 to 8 p.m.—Duo-Art and Victoria Recital, broadcast by Fletcher Bros. Music and Radiola House from their studio.

KHJ—Los Angeles Times, Los Angeles
 From 6.30 to 7.30 p.m.—Children's programme presenting Prof. Walter Byives' recital, broadcast by Fletcher Bros. Music and Radiola House from their studio.

KHJ—Los Angeles Times, Los Angeles
 From 8 to 9 p.m.—Programme presenting the Filipino String Orchestra playing through the courtesy of the Blue Bird Cafeteria. Capt. Edward A. Salisbury, lecturer. Fred M. Mitchell, tenor, and Bill Hatch, pianist.

From 9 to 11 p.m.—Art Hickman's Dance Orchestra from the Hillmore Hotel; Earl Burnett, director.

KFI—Earle C. Anthony Inc., Los Angeles
 From 6.45 to 8 p.m.—Acolian organ recital.

From 8 to 9 p.m.—Ambassador Hotel Coconut Grove Orchestra.

From 9 to 10 p.m.—Programme from Exchange Studio.

From 10 to 11 p.m.—Popular Ballad Hour.

prisonment in Oakalla jail. Following the expiration of his sentence Wong Sing was handed over to the Immigration Department for deportation.

Wong Sing has been a resident of Canada since 1909 and the point, affecting other Chinese in a similar predicament and which the Supreme Court of Canada will have to decide, is whether these Chinese have acquired domicile in Canada so as to prevent them being deported under the Immigration Act.

FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE IN TEXAS

Importation of Animals From Eight U.S. Middle States to Canada Barred

Ottawa, Sept. 30 (By Canadian Press).—The importation of all animals from Texas and seven other middle-western and southern states has been forbidden by the Federal Department of Agriculture, owing to an outbreak of foot and mouth disease in Houston, Texas.

Information has been received by the Department of Agriculture that the outbreak has been confirmed by the United States authorities in Houston. Indications are that the infector was introduced from South American countries where the disease is prevalent, and it is believed that the Texas animals have no connection with the recent serious outbreak in California.

The Minister of Agriculture, on receipt of the advice, has issued orders to prohibit the importation into Canada of "all live animals and poultry or parts thereof, and of all raw animal products, manure and fodder that have within a period of two months prior to offer of entry, been in or through the state of Texas or any of the states contiguous to Houston, Texas."

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THE WORM TURNS

Armande came, a slim, suave, tiny-mustached Frenchman.

"I want to be done over," Julie told him bluntly, gripping her determination with both hands. "Make me look fashionable. I don't care what you do."

He raised his brows, studied her critically.

"Madame must be bobbed!" was the verdict.

Julie closed her eyes and set her teeth while Armande's assistants prepared her for the hair-bobbing process.

Once she had set her hand to the plough there was no turning back. Rare, sweet natures like hers discern unexpected wiles of determination once they are fully aroused.

At the first snip of the shears, an icy hand clutched her heart. She might look a fright! Blake would now surely discover her! A tear now surely discovered her! A tear now surely discovered her! A tear now surely discovered her!

At last she was shorn! Armande surveyed her beamingly.

"Madame is young, petite. The boyish bob becomes her. A little curl and a marcel across the top," he cupped her head in his hands, mirror, "Vol-au-vent perfection!"

Madame's brows could do with a little shapening.

Again Julie set her teeth while a sweat-smelling mirror was applied to her brows. Here was real ordeal! But the tweezers didn't actually hurt—much, and when she looked at herself again, she was pleased with the delicate arches like tawny wings that gave her eyes added sweetness, greater character.

"You should darken your brows ever so slightly, Mrs. Blake," the girl assistant was genuinely interested. "It would set off your eyes better. I'll get you a pencil the right shade."

Another Frenchman came, armed with curling irons, which he handled with great deftness. He spoke no French. Armande instructed him verbally, gesticulating, titling Julie's head this way and that to get effects in French. They discussed Julie's head this way and that to get effects in French. They discussed Julie's head this way and that to get effects in French.

"Should I?" questioned Julie helplessly.

"Everyone does nowadays," was the firm reply. "Try a little of our preparations."

Julie set her teeth again, nodded acquiescence.

The touch of a puff to her cheeks was pleasant, the smooth, fragrant powder, cool and restful.

"Now a mere touch of rouge, and a bit for the lips—it will keep them looking fresh and soft. You don't really need it for coloring. Your lips are red enough," the girl sighed enviously.

Julie was finished! She saw herself in the mirror with a sense of awe.

"Better come at least once a week for a curl," the girl was advising. "Maybe you'll want permanent waves later. It's convenient in the Summer."

Home again! A new Julie, pleased and frightened. What would Blake say when he saw her?

He didn't even notice the change! Ah, the heart break of it! He didn't look at her closely enough to see a pretty stranger. He never meant so little to him that he didn't notice whether her hair was long or short, straggling or curled; whether her eyes were just nice girlish eyes, or shining topaz, sparkling with a new allure, a new piquancy.

Julie wept in the privacy of her artistry.

But strangely, her disappointment and chagrin failed to destroy her determination. She told herself bitterly that it was too late to expect anything different. Blake had never loved her. A few paltry changes in her appearance wouldn't make him love her now. She was a fool, but she'd keep on being a fool.

she resolved, just to regain her self-respect.

No one should ever again mistake her for a servant.

Jimmy noticed the difference instantly.

"Gosh, you look great, Julie! Just like a little girl—and a darned pretty one at that!"

It was blam to her sore heart.

Next time she went to Armande's, she asked the friendly girl where was the best place to shop.

"You should wear tailored things, Mrs. Blake. You're the slim type that looks great in plain, expensive dresses."

She mentioned a good tailor. Julie didn't know that he had the most expensive and exclusive shop in town, nor that the girl received a commission for sending customers to him. But she was thankful she had gone, a few weeks later, when he sent home to her one of the smartest, most distinctive wardrobes in Washington.

They scarcely recognized her at night.

UNIVERSITY STAFF APPOINTMENTS MADE

Vancouver, Sept. 30.—Seven lecturers and instructors, also a number of assistants, received appointments at the meeting of the Board of Governors, University of B.C., held last night.

Vancouver Island News

LADYSMITH BEATEN IN TENNIS GAME

Special to The Times
 Ladysmith, Sept. 29.—In a tennis tournament played at Chemainus on Sunday the latter badly defeated Ladysmith by 75 games to 57. This is one of a series of games that have been played between these two towns. The games were as follows: Ross and Wilson (Chemainus) defeated Clark and Thomas (Ladysmith), 4-2. Ross and Wilson defeated Dickson and Squires (Ladysmith), 10-2. Dobinson and Heslip (Chemainus) defeated Dickson and Squires, 7-5. Clark and Thomas defeated Dobinson and Heslip, 6-2. Morrison and Fagan (Ladysmith) defeated Dobinson and Heslip, 3-3. Jarrett and Brown (Chemainus) defeated Clark and Thomas 11-1. Jarrett and Brown defeated Dickson and Squire, 8-4. Ross and Wilson halved

with Morrison and Fagan 6-6. Jarrett and Brown halved with Morrison and Fagan 6-6. Clark defeated Stubbs, 4-5. Fagan defeated Craig, 5-1.

On Sunday Ladysmith defeated Cumberland Rangers' football team by a score of three to nothing. Ladysmith have won all the games on their own home ground this year so far, and it is hoped that they will continue to do so all the season. The game on Sunday was not up to the usual standard, but the boys will be getting in better shape as the season progresses.

TENNIS AT GANGES
 Special to The Times
 Ganges, Sept. 29.—On Friday a tennis team composed of players from Galiano and Mayne islands visited Ganges and played the Harbor House Club, the latter winning by twenty-one sets to three, the games being 137 to 53.

of trees. "They got some sugar and molasses an' butter an' vinligger from their kitchen, 'cause, now, their gothens isn't home, an' they're going to boll it up an' make candy—but they want a kettle."

"Well, Bunty, I'll let them take my kettle, and I'll go with you to carry it to Johnnie and Billie in the woods, and to watch to see that they don't get burned!" cried Baby Bunty.

"Oh, goodie!" cried Baby Bunty. "I mean goodie 'cause you're coming to help make candy!" she quickly said.

Uncle Wiggily laughed and soon he was watching Johnnie and Billie, with Baby Bunty to help them, boiling sugar, molasses, butter and "vinligger," as Bunty called vinegar, in a kettle over the fire.

Soon the candy was cooked, and Uncle Wiggily poured it out in a buttered tin to cool and get hard.

"Oh, won't we have fun eating it!" cried Bunty, dancing about as the candy was cooling, for it was still very hot in the pan.

Has Established Distance Record

Radio Expert Makes 6,000 Miles, Relay League Announces

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 28.—A new world's record, 6,000 miles, in long distance amateur radio communication, breaking the record made on May 22 of 4,000 miles, was announced by the American Radio Relay League at its headquarters here to-day. The world record was made by Carlos Bragado of Vernal, near Buenos Ayres, Argentina, who was in QRA communication with Frank D. Bell of Walhemo, N.Z.

An hour later, K. L. Reidman of 249 Euclid Avenue, Long Beach, Cal., exchanged messages with Bell, but the record is credited to Bragado, who will receive an Australian boomering as a prize. Reidman will be given a pair of green suspenders.

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Suggestion to Permit Municipalities to Consolidate Management

Should there be optional powers given to municipalities to co-operate for the management of police forces, contributed to on a per capita basis, and controlled by a standing joint committee of the councils interested? This question was submitted to the City Council last evening in the form of a letter from the city solicitor stating that the matter had been discussed with him by Alderman Todd and the general principle outlined. A joint meeting was suggested by Alderman Todd, to talk the whole question over, in view of the attempt to consolidate the police force for Greater Vancouver. He believed in a similar force for Greater Victoria. He voiced an objection to the suggestion of a provincial force, absorbing the municipal police in British Columbia. Alderman Sangster seconded, and the motion was adopted unanimously. Copies are to be sent to each of the district municipalities. Alderman Marchant stated he did not expect any results to accrue, as the district councils were under police. He favored large areas of administration, such as a provincial unit. The subject, he stated, would have come up at the Union Convention at

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STIR EMBERS OF ANCIENT STRIFE

Northwest Sewer Issue is Still Source of Irritation

That Spanish was always ready to look after any revenue coming to it but none too ready to offer to meet just obligations to the city was observed by Alderman Sangster during the City Council last evening to a motion with regard to the sharing of license fees to municipalities by daily-hos. "I would say to Spanish: 'You have not tried to secure the necessary legislation to enable the Council to pay the Northwest sewer debt,' and I would give no concessions until a settlement is reached." Alderman Todd had asked the Council to add a clause to the license section of its private bill, by which power would be given to the Council to share with neighboring Councils the necessary expense of larger license fees. He said it had been raised as an issue by the Reeves and Spanish contention with daily-hos and similar large vehicles, which used the district roads. Alderman Woodward pointed out that such a course might cut another way, in that Spanish buses were operating in Victoria, over Victoria streets. Alderman Andros said that co-operation in connection with the Brentwood road, whose improvement was a matter of urgency. Alderman Sargent pointed out that Spanish made no effort to secure the necessary legislation to give effect to a contract which had been signed by it, and hence no settlement had been reached after six years regarding the Northwest sewer. "Why don't they pay the bill?" queried Alderman Sangster. "I will tell you in a few words," answered Alderman Todd. "The Northwest sewer is popular in Spanish as Elk Lake golf links are in Victoria." The motion was lost on a division. **OTHER MATTERS** A recommendation was carried to ask the Legislature for powers enabling the Council in the sale of any parcel of its property to accept any portion of the purchase price in the form of a second mortgage on the parcel after the amount of the purchase price is secured by a sufficient mortgage to enable the Council to enter into binding agreements with the purchaser to secure the amount of the mortgage. Another suggestion was made to discontinue the sale of any parcel of its property or otherwise without the necessity of advertising them for sale in a newspaper of general circulation in the municipality. This was also approved.

PROS AND CONS FOR CHANGE OF 'FOUL BAY' NAME

By a vote of seven to two the City Council last evening approved the principle of changing the name of Foul Bay Road and Bay, and to ask the city solicitor to advise them on the best course to give effect to the change. For the proposed change F. Napier Denison, of Gonzales Observatory, wrote affirmatively on lines similar to his letter to the Press, the superintendent praising the choice of the name Gonzales, by Alderman Woodward. Against the proposal was Francis H. Ross, of Eberts Street, who pointed out that both his grandfather and father had been property owners in the district, and he saw no adequate reason for the alteration. Mr. Denison stated that many people who had marvelled at the beautiful view from the observatory wondered at its inappropriate name. Alderman Woodward formally moved the resolution in favor of changing the name to "Gonzales" Bay and "Gonzales" Bay Road, the latter being in the power of the council, the other a matter for the Geographic Board of Canada. It would be quite easy, Alderman Marchant said, to effect a change of the small road or avenue "Gonzales" in the Pemberton estate, where no houses at present existed. Alderman Woodward declared that the majority would favor the change. Mr. Pemberton would not object, it was stated. The Mayor said he was opposed to the change, and Alderman Andros declared there was no petition for change, which should come first. The latter thereupon moved an amendment, which collapsed for lack of a second. On the division only Alderman Andros voted with the Mayor in opposition.

CASSIAR PARADISE OF GAME HUNTER

H. S. Swarth, Ornithologist, Has Been Collecting Around Atlin Lake

"It is made difficult when it should be made easy, in order to encourage hunting in the Atlin and Teslin Lakes district, as only two hunting parties were in the territory this Summer, where there should have been a dozen or more in an area most suitable to this class of big game," according to Harry S. Swarth, curator of birds at the Museum of Vertebrate Zoology, University of California, who was in the city yesterday, and in the evening addressed the Natural History Society. He has just returned from a visit to Atlin, where he has spent all Summer, coming north in May. Mr. Swarth said he did not wish to criticize the Game Board, from whom he had received many courtesies during his stay in northern B. C., but he did believe that simpler rules would encourage hunting of moose and certain classes of game for which there was no parallel in the north. The security population could be increased and financially benefited if more encouragement were given to the hunters of big game. On the other hand reckless destruction by aborigines of mountain sheep had driven them into areas away from settlement, and other phases of the situation were not very satisfactory, which with some smart adjustment would make the Cassiar into a Mecca for sportsmen. Mr. Swarth says his museum has a fairly comprehensive collection of specimens of other parts of the northwest, and this year rounded out its northern specimens. Hitherto only one party of naturalists, sent in by the B. C. Government, had worked the territory some ten years ago. He was not in a position to discuss the value of his discoveries this year until careful check had been made of the collection obtained in the current season. While working independently, Major Allan Brooks, the well known naturalist and artist, has covered much the same territory this Summer, studying the birds and mammals. Major Brooks has done much illustrative work for various governments and for scientific and other journals and books.

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DONEGAN RETURNS TO THE ATTACK

Without comment the City Council last evening filed a letter from James A. Alkman on behalf of J. Donegan with regard to the acting medical health officer, and also of Alderman Woodward cultivating lots which Donegan wished to purchase. The alderman commented said the lots he was using were reserved by the City Council expressly for sale. The letter of Mr. Alkman said in part: "It seems that the substitute is equally as capable as Dr. Price, and receives from Dr. Price the sum of \$100 per month for attending to the duties of health officer, thus enabling Dr. Price to save \$200 per month out of the compensation paid him by the city for no services rendered. Is it fair to our present heavily burdened taxpayers to be saddled with a full-time highly-paid official when it is absolutely unnecessary? I also am instructed to call your attention to the fact that my client, Mr. J. Donegan, in the purchase two lots situate on Carlin Street, and was informed that they were reserved and that Alderman Woodward was cultivating them. It does seem to me that some action should be taken by the council in order to see that the ratepayers, to whom you are responsible, are protected from such matters as the above reported."

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FAIR PROVED COSTLY ITEM

Revenue For Exhibition Did Not Balance Expenditure Council Will Pay Taxes on Willows Park Property

The B.C. Agricultural Association conducted the recent fair at a loss of \$2,902, which includes the disappearance of a comfortable balance of \$5,146 from 1923, making the association much poorer, as compared with its previous balance sheet. A statement presented to the City Council last evening made the above fact clear, when it was reported that total receipts of the society were \$28,121.19, and total expenditures \$31,023.25. The association asked for \$3,900 grant towards the cost of the exhibition. **PAYMENT OF TAXES** The city finance committee recommended that the city should pay the taxes, amounting to \$2,368.58, on the Willows Park property. This sum is due to the council of Oak Bay as from July 1. It was reported that the B.C. Agricultural Association had failed to pay the taxes, as called upon to do by the agreement. Alderman Marchant asked for information on the matter, which the Mayor supplied. It had been reported that the association would not be able to pay the taxes, before the exhibition was held. His Worship pointed out. Alderman Sargent said unless the taxes were paid by October 1, the extra cost would be \$300. They had been in arrears since July 1. That the association was holding a club over the council was the opinion of Alderman Marchant, who stated that the association was responsible under the agreement. **SAYS SITUATION SINISTER** "It seems to me," the alderman said, "as sinister a situation can be on the part of the association, associated with the racing people, men who may be said to have drained the city of its natural income recently, yet these racing authorities have been able to get away with a beggarly pittance, while the association could have met its way by taking more from the privilege." He charged the association with breaking a covenant of the lease, and declared that the whole agreement should be reviewed. Alderman Woodward expressed the hope that the finance committee would look into the matter, and that it was regrettable perhaps that three of the members were directors of the B.C. Agricultural Association. Alderman Sangster objected to the imputation that he would consider the association before his duties as an alderman. Such was untrue. Alderman Woodward declared his statements misunderstood, and the Mayor observed that the remarks were not in the best taste. They did not, however, justify a demand for withdrawal. On a vote the motion carried with-out opposition. Alderman Marchant asked the Mayor who was liable for the deficit? Alderman Sangster: You would like us to be individually! Alderman Marchant repudiated that construction in his remarks. "To whom is this deficit owed, and who is responsible for it?" asked the alderman. "No answer was forthcoming, and the council passed on to other business."

WILL GIVE RELIEF TO ASSOCIATION

Y.M.C.A. Property Threatened With Tax Sale

Reporting that the property of the Y.M.C.A. on Blanshard Street was threatened with tax sale, the finance committee told the City Council last evening that it had instructed the treasurer to pay out of the vote sufficient sum to protect the property from auction, such sum to be offset against taxes. A lengthy statement from the finance committee of the institution was read, explaining exactly the status of the association in relation to bonded indebtedness and taxes. After hearing the communication read, Alderman Marchant expressed the belief that the finance committee should look into the whole question of taxes and report, a suggestion which embodied a resolution of Alderman Woodward on the matter, as the Y.M.C.A. asked for a larger grant in aid. Alderman Sargent remarked that the practice of the finance committee was to offset against taxes payments out to citizens and institutions, whenever sums were due to the city, and such a course would occur in this case. The grant, it was stated, was \$1,000. Alderman Andros and Todd, after learning verbally that the necessary provision had been made already thought a proper record should be kept, as no minute appeared in the records of the Council. The Council approved the action of the committee, and referred the other questions raised to the finance committee for consideration. M. W. Graham, chairman of the finance committee, showed that the critical situation was at August 31, of the association was as follows: Accounts outstanding \$ 1,989 Salaries outstanding 1,888 Tax arrears, 1922-23 1,753 Balance 1924 taxes 770 Bank loan 6,360 Total liabilities \$15,760 The Association asked the Council to grant it relief from the tax arrears of \$1,753, and the balance of the 1924 taxes, \$770. It was pointed out that the total annual taxes had been covered by the city grant until three years ago. With the tax on improvements, the increase had made the grant only cover half the cost. "The directors of the Association," said Mr. Graham, "because they believe in this work as one of vital importance to this community are endeavoring to keep the building open, and the programme in operation in spite of these very serious difficulties."

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OCCUPY OFFICE AT OBSERVATORY

Addition at the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory Now in Use
Completing the group of buildings at the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, the office building was occupied yesterday. This building was long desired by the director, owing to the cramped conditions under which work has been done hitherto, and which have frequently been the subject of comment by visiting astronomers. The contract was awarded last November to Williams, Trerise & Williams, at a contract price of \$23,500. The building, which is designed in keeping with the character of the other structures, contains basement and two stories, with residence above for the caretaker. On the ground floor are the director's and secretary's offices; the general office, measuring 15x23 feet, and designed to contain the measuring and computing machines; the library (21x35 feet) for the collection of valuable reference books, which up to the present have been housed in the observatory, and the scientific periodicals and magazines which are part of the necessary furnishings of the library. The second floor has four offices for the astronomers on the observatory staff; also a general office where the measuring and computing work will be done; and photographic room and dark-room for the development of the plates which are made in connection with observations. In the basement are the heating plant, experimental laboratories and store-rooms.

MRS. JOHN MARKEY DEAD

Woodstock, Ont., Sept. 28.—Mrs. John Markey, wife of John Markey, editor of the Woodstock Sentinel Review, died very suddenly at her home here yesterday. She was in her usual good health yesterday, but this morning complained of a pain in the region of the heart. She died soon afterwards.



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INTERURBAN LINE

B.C. Electric Holds Out no Hope of Continuation
There is no hope of shaking the B. C. Electric Railway Company's decision to close down the Esanich Interurban line at the end of next month, the City Council was informed last evening. The special committee, composed of Mayor Hayward, Alderman Marchant and Sargent, who had been appointed a week ago on the suggestion of Alderman Marchant, reported that they had met Vice-president A. T. Goward, learned that the situation was inevitable, and expressed the hope that the company would operate to Sluggert. There was a passing hope, said Alderman Marchant, that perhaps the route would operate to Marigold or Wilkinson. The loss had been continuous since 1912, the worst being this year, it was said.